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THEY CELEBRATED.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Alexander Observed the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of their Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Alexander celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage at their residence, corner of West and Third Streets, Tuesday evening. Invitations had been issued to relatives and intimate friends residing in distant towns, and they all responded and lent their aid in making the event the happy one that it was. Rev. Adolph Meyer, pastor of the Jewish Synagogue, Danville, was present and the wedding ceremony as prescribed by the ritual of the church was gone through with, an exact repetition of the services which joined Mr. and Mrs. Alexander for life twenty-five years ago. The interior of the house presented a scene of exquisite beauty. Prettier decorations it would be hard to conceive. Potted plants were artistically arranged about the rooms, and the walls were finely adorned. While from the chandiliers festooned ropes of smilax drooped in effective style, and imparted an added and effective charm to the surroundings.

Shortly after eight o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, followed by their sons, Charles, Alexander, and George, according to age, marched down stairs into the parlor, to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Master Ralph Schwarz, on the violin with piano accompaniment by Miss Delia Geisinger, where the ceremony took place. Immediately following, hearty congratulations were showered upon the couple, and then came an elegant repast, prepared under the supervision of Mrs. Alexander. Louis Cohen acted as toastmaster and a number of the guests responded with brief addresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander were the recipients of numerous beautiful gifts. During the evening choice music was furnished by Schwarz's orchestra.

Those present from out of town were:

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen, of Wilkes-Barre; Mr. and Mrs. M. Alexander, of Nanticoke; Mr. Augustus, of Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Flora Fleischer, of Pittston; Mr. Albert Brandenberg, Wilkes-Barre; Miss Cecelia Fleischer, Pittston; Mrs. Joseph Cohen, New York City; Mrs. David Brandenberg, New York City; Mrs. S. Simons, New York City; Mrs. Moses Gross, of Kansas City; Rev. Adolph Meyer, Danville; Mr. Chas. Alexander, of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. C. Leichman, of Freeland; Miss Delia Geisinger of Espy, while the following from Bloomsburg were present:

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gidding, Mrs. David Lowenberg, Miss Rebecca Lowenberg, Miss Stella Lowenberg, Mr. William Lowenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Lesser Alexander, Mr. Louis Cohen, Miss Esther Cohen, Mr. Joseph Cohen, Mr. Isadore Cohen, Mrs. Alex. E. Cohen, Mrs. M. Smith, Miss M. Smith, Mr. Chas. Fornwald, Mr. Fred. Bowers.

BURNED TO DEATH.

While Boiling Soap Mrs. Michael Fetterolf Falls Victim to an Awful Accident.

"Accidents will happen" is an old but true saying. Nearly every day brings its fulfillment in some shape or other, but rare is a happening so terrible in nature as that which befell Mrs. Michael Fetterolf, at her home in Catawissa township, this county, towards evening Friday afternoon last. She was engaged boiling soap, for winter use, a custom pretty generally followed by farmers' wives, and unconsciously leaned too far toward the kettle, when a flame leaped toward her, and in an instant her clothing was all ablaze. Her husband was working in a field some distance away. The cries of his wife reached his ear, and he hastened to her side but it was too late to save her life. She was terribly burned all over the body. She lingered along for nearly twelve hours, when death came, as a relieving agency and she passed away.

Mrs. Fetterolf was a middle aged lady, not more than thirty-six years old, and enjoyed the respect of a host of friends, all of whom will be deeply affected by the terrible catastrophe.

The sympathy of the entire neighborhood goes out to the bereaved husband, in this hour of gloom, who now alone, will be called upon to protect and guide four children. The funeral was held Saturday morning at half-past nine o'clock. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives at the house, and also at the Cemetery at Numedia, where interment was made.

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THEY WERE SHOCKED.

Street Commissioner Neyhard, and Chief of Police Knorr Made to Look Ludicrous by this Subtle Fluid.

While measuring the distance between the rails and the current wire, at a point out near Park Street Thursday afternoon, Street Commissioner Neyhard, in a moment of thoughtlessness threw the steel tape over the feed wire. A ground current was at once made, and the entire strength of the current was sent through his body. He was powerless to release himself and of course called for help. Chief of Police Wesley Knorr, who stood near, at once realized the uncomfortable predicament into which Neyhard had gotten himself, and rushed to his assistance, but his efforts to rescue were not governed with the care that the situation demanded, and he too was soon doing a dancing stunt. The spell was of short duration however and both were able to extricate themselves. A few slight burns on the hands will serve to remind them of the experience for several days at least. It is altogether likely that Fred will be able to tell the distance between the rails and the wire at that particular point without referring to any memorandum, for some time to come.

She Longed to be an Actress

And Left Home Without Her Parents Knowledge.

Known only to half a dozen people or so an episode with a romantic tinge occurred in this city Wednesday. During the day a very handsome and jauntily dressed girl of 17 or 18 years might have been seen upon our streets. She took dinner at one of our hotels and engaged a room for the night. To be brief the handsome girl belonged to a highly respectable and prominent family of LockHaven and she was here without her parents' consent or knowledge. She did not get along well at school, it seems; besides she had witnessed several good plays at her home and became convinced that she ought to be a heroine of the stage. Pocketing her father's mileage book she accordingly set out for Bloomsburg, where she thought the Bon-Ton Ideals were holding the boards. Arriving there and finding that they were at Danville she lost no time in following them here.

The parents were greatly grieved, but the mileage, which the father soon missed, served as a clue. The conductor on the Pennsylvania passenger train, west, reaching this city at 7:51 p. m., had handled the mileage described between East Bloomsburg and South Danville. The stage struck girl was easily located and Wednesday evening a friend of her father arrived in this city and had no difficulty in finding her. The girl seemed to make the best of the situation and meekly followed the gentleman back to her home.—*Danville News.*

"Farmer" Creasy, vice president of the Pennsylvania State Horticultural Association, informs us that the next meeting will be held in Bloomsburg next January, and will be the largest meeting ever held under the auspices of the Association.

It is the desire of those who have been instrumental in bringing the meeting to our county to make it a success, as well as interesting and instructive to those who may attend.

Prominent horticulturists from different sections of the State will be present, and we believe it would be a good plan for our fruit growers to select some of their best specimens of apples and pears to place on exhibition at this convention.

MILITARY FUNERAL.

The Body of Francis M. Girton Interred With the Honors of War.

The remains of Francis M. Girton, arrived here on the 12:22 train on the D. L. & W. Railroad from Plymouth on Monday, accompanied by the relatives and a number of friends. The funeral party was met at the depot by a delegation of Ent Post G. A. R., and the resident survivors of the Spanish American War, who acted as an escort on the way to Rosemont Cemetery, where interment was made with the honors of war. Verus Ritter sounded taps from an elevated position, some distance away from the grave, after which a squad consisting of Boyd Shaffer, John Scott, Albert Boise, Samuel Carbaugh, Joseph Stiner, Charles Hidlay and Silas Masteller, fired a salute over the grave.

The officiating Clergyman was Rev. Mr. Day, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Luzerne Borough.

The deceased was a soldier in the Civil War and a brother of the late Jacob L. Girton.

The Plant of the Catawissa Fibre Co. Sold by the Sheriff.

The sale of the Catawissa Fibre Company's plant which was conducted by Sheriff Knorr, attracted quite a number of interested parties to the office of that official in the Court House Saturday afternoon and the bidding was quite lively, for a time. The property was finally struck down to Grant Herring for $40,020. This is the second time this property has been sold by the Sheriff. The first one, however was declared off on account of legal technicality. At the former sale the accepted price was $56,999, but this included an indebtedness at the First National Bank of Catawissa together with some other claims aggregating in the neighborhood of $19000. This amount had been paid in the meantime, so that Saturday's consideration of 40,020 was more than that for which the property was sold at the previous sale. The property as it stands, it is said represents an expenditure of about $100,000.

A New Society.

A new society, to be known as the Brotherhood of St. Paul's and to supplant the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, an organization which has existed in St. Paul's Parish for a number of years past, was organized Tuesday evening, by electing the following officers: Guy Jacoby, president, Harry Stees, vice president, Boyd Maize, treasurer and Prof. J. H. Dennis, secretary. The object of the new society is to create an interest in church work among the young men of the parish. Committees will be appointed to look after the young men of the town who are not connected with any organized christian body and invite them to the church, to extend an invitation to the strangers, and make them welcome. The society is to be self-governing. The by-laws are to be framed and considered at the next meeting, which will be held next Tuesday evening, at which time a line of work will be laid out.

Evangelical Services.

Sunday school at 9:15.

Preaching, 10:30. Subject, "Slander."

Junior K. L. C. E., 2:00.

Senior K. L. C. E., 6:00.

Preaching, 7:00.

Prayer and teacher's meeting, on Wednesday evening, at 7:30.

Aid Society, on Friday eve'g, 7:30.

A cordial invitation to all these services. Strangers always made welcome. J. W. Bentz, Pastor.

"THE MAN IN THE MOON."

This Most Excellent Entertainment Will Have its First Presentation Tomorrow Evening.

An event of more than ordinary interest to lovers of first class entertainments is the Operatic Extravaganza, "Around the World with the Man in the Moon" which will be presented for the first time in Bloomsburg tomorrow and Saturday evenings. The production will be under the personal direction of Mr. J. G. Hoffman, and will be given with every accessory of equipment, in the way of beautiful costumes, fine scenery and new electrical effects. It supplies more incentive to laughter than anything of its kind in existence. It has been given in many of the large cities, and received with enthusiastic praise and commendation. In presenting it to our people Mr. Hoffman gives the assurance that it will furnish one of most enjoyable performances ever offered in Bloomsburg. Read the opinion of the press:

The Pennyan *Democrat* says: The opera is full of catchy music and its beautiful scenery and costumes surpassed anything ever given here.

The Williamsport *Grit* says: The music loving people of Milton were entertained Thursday and Friday by one of the best musical extravaganzas that was ever given here. This is saying a good deal for Milton people have had a number of first class entertainments of that order by artists of no ordinary merit. But the audience Thursday almost went wild over the production of the "Man in the Moon."

Never before has an entertainment of any character carried the people of this town so by storm."

No one who loves to attend entertainments pure in character and sweet in story can afford to miss it.

There are two hundred and fifty carefully chosen people in the cast. The sale of seats opened at Bidleman's book store this morning. From present indications the attendance will be large, so "you'll have to hurry" if you want a seat. Price 25, 35 and 50 cents.

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A SERIOUS CHARGE

The Story of Justice Potter's Remarkable Relationship With the Governor of the Commonwealth.

SCORED BY THE PAPERS OF ALL PARTIES

Severe Criticism From Sources Which Demand Attention. What Will Be the Outcome? Will the Court Order an Inquiry?

The Philadelphia Press has submitted to the people of Pennsylvania proof that Justice William P. Potter, Governor Stone's former law partner and appointee to the Supreme Court bench, has prostituted the office by betraying secrets of the court and attempting to smirch the integrity of his judicial colleagues.

When the legislature was in session there were "leaks" on questions affecting "machine" legislation pending before the Supreme Court, and it was an open suspicion that either one or the other of Governor Stone's appointees, Justice Brown or Justice Potter, was the betrayer of court secrets.

On May 1 The Press laid the grave charge directly at Justice Potter's door, declaring that he informed Governor Stone of the standing of the court upon the Pittsburg "Ripper" legislation prior to the announcement of the decision.

Although Stone and Potter made weak denials at the time, the justice took no steps to refute the charge or protect his sullied reputation, and the announcement of the decision confirmed the account of the betrayal, even the names of the justices voting affirmatively having been announced in advance.

The Press now gives in detail the long-distance telephone conversations between Potter and Stone when the justice "tipped" the governor in advance of the "Ripper" decision, and also the decision sustaining the governor's cut of the school appropriation.

These telephone talks revealed Potter in the attitude of a boasted "manipulator" of the remaining members of the Supreme Court; he assumed to be able to "control" certain justices, without hesitating to reflect upon their integrity; and Governor Stone commended him for "doing a good thing."

The papers of the state generally, except a few stalwart organs that would defend highway robbery if done by one of their candidates, condemn Justice Potter for his course. It shows that he acted more as a paid attorney determined to win his case than a member of the highest judicial body of the state. Following are some of the opinions of leading papers of the state:

Philadelphia North American.

No greater infamy could be charged against a judge. The offense alleged is not a mere impropriety. It is a crime punishable by impeachment and perpetual disqualification to hold any office of honor or profit. It is incredible that a reputable newspaper would make such an accusation without absolute certainty of the completeness of its evidence, and evidently The Press has not the least doubt of the accuracy of its reports of Justice Potter's conversations with Governor Stone.

Philadelphia Times.

The Press has published at length the alleged conversations by telephone between Governor Stone and Justice Potter, in which they discussed the attitude of the supreme court upon the "ripper" legislation and Justice Potter's successful efforts to bring about a decision in favor of the machine. This extraordinary exposure should make impossible the election to the supreme court of an appointed member who has not only betrayed its secrets but dishonored its integrity, if it does not make impossible his further presence in the court. It matters not how this conversation was overheard and recorded. The report is positively vouched for and its authenticity was practically admitted at Harrisburg by the passage of an act, under machine direction, making the betrayal of telephone messages a penal offense.

Pittsburg Dispatch.

The charges preferred against Justice Potter and Governor Stone by The Philadelphia Press, in connection with the Pittsburg charter bill, lack the element of freshness. They were published last winter, in a general way, and were promptly denied by both Governor Stone and Justice Potter. Now, after many conferences of insurgents and Democratic leaders, they are renewed shortly before the eleventh hour of a political campaign, without giving the name of the man who made them, but shrouded in even greater mystery of anonymity than ever—yet with a degree of circumstantial detail that most positively calls for an answer in more authoritative form than hitherto given. No affidavits accompany them and no proof is given whether they emanate from a responsible man or a professional campaign liar, yet they are published by The Philadelphia Press in its largest type, attended by declarations from that journal of its entire responsibility and a bold challenge to the governor or Justice Potter to deny them if they can.

Philadelphia Record.

In May last The Press startled its readers by the publication of a Harrisburg dispatch accusing Justice Potter, of the supreme court, of having made improper disclosure to Governor Stone of the impending action of the court with reference to the contested constitutionality of the Pittsburg "ripper" legislation. The governor and Justice Potter both denied the truthfulness of the publication, but the charge was reiterated by The Press and its verity measurably confirmed by the subsequent decision of the court when announced.

The Press has republished its dispatch of May 1, with further confirmatory particulars of a most damnatory character. It is apparent to the dullest apprehension that such collusion between the executive and judicial departments of the state government could only exist as a result of the betrayal of the most sacred trust. If the allegations of The Press be true, Governor Stone and Justice Potter are unfit for the high offices they hold. Were the organization of the Republican party in the control of honorable and self-respecting men they would insist upon immediate disproof, or, failing that, upon the immediate withdrawal of Justice Potter from his place on the Republican state ticket.

It is to the last degree infamous that the executive, legislative and judicial authorities of the state should all have been dragged into the mire in order to minister to the ambition of a discredited leadership and to the greed of political harpies and adventurers who override alike the laws of God and man to compass their ends. Unless the people of Pennsylvania have themselves gone mad they will take their November opportunity to revenge themselves upon their coarse and impudent betrayers.

Pittsburg Post.

The extraordinary disclosures of The Philadelphia Press, owned and controlled by one of the great Republican manufacturers of Pennsylvania, and edited by a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet, in reference to Justice Potter's betrayal to interested parties of the confidential discussion in the supreme court of the state of its integrity as a judicial tribunal, and of its decision on an important case, before it was authoritatively made public, presents a state of facts that must have a profound effect on the people of Pennsylvania, and more especially on the members of the bar. This is not "partisan claptrap." It emanates from those high in authority in the Republican party, whose political duty and inclination would be to support Justice Potter for election were he an admissible candidate, on any standard of official and judicial conduct known to men. We can recall no such judicial misconduct in the history of any state of the Union, save in South Carolina and Louisiana, in the worst stages of the carpet-bag regime, when judges were made a matter of barter and sale, and political caucusses or private interests determined their action. This is the low condition to which the highest judiciary of Pennsylvania has sunk, through the criminal misconduct of one of its members.

We reprint the disclosures of The Philadelphia Press, not because of their probable political effect, but as the most startling bit of news, important to all the people, in regard to judicial degredation that has been made public for years. The judiciary should not only be free of just reproach, but of even the suspicion of misconduct, let alone criminal violation of its recognized duties and responsibilities. That has become the gospel of our politics and the judgment of our citizens.

SAFE-GUARDING THE BENCH.

For the honor of the supreme court the people of Pennsylvania should turn down the Republican candidate who is seeking to remain in the high place to which he was appointed by Governor Stone. To jealously guard this sacred tribunal is the imperative duty of every good citizen. Within the past few years there has grown up in the public mind grave suspicions concerning the integrity and fairness of many occupants of the bench. In all parts of the country have been heard complaints against judges who have seemed to waver in the performance of their duty and who have not always held the scales of justice firmly. This is one of the most depressing signs of the times, full of significance and danger. The American people have always, heretofore, held the judiciary in the very highest respect. They cannot permit any lowering of the standard; nor can they tolerate any looseness of personal or official conduct.

Throughout all the partisan and factional conflicts waged in our own state no member of the supreme court, and no candidate for a place therein, has ever been publicly subjected to such a grave charge as that which now confronts Justice Potter. Such flagrant disregard of propriety as this misfit appointee of the present executive is accused of, is unprecedented in the entire history of the court. Such intimate secret relationship between a justice and any other public official is mutually discreditable. In this instance the offense is aggravated on account of Governor Stone's misuse of his official powers to serve himself and a corrupt political organization. It shows Justice Potter to be himself a part of the machine. This is contempt for judicial dignity that words cannot fitly characterize. These revelations surely will make a profound impression upon self respecting citizens regardless of partisanship.

Under such circumstances, it becomes the duty of all decent Republicans to unite with the minority party in electing Judge Yerkes to Justice Potter's place. Happily, the Democratic reform candidate is a jurist of the highest rank already, so far as ability, character, experience and learning are concerned. For nearly 20 years he has presided over the courts of Bucks county with thorough acceptability to all classes of the people, and has repeatedly been called, in a neighborly way, to fill a gap on the bench in Philadelphia, when judges have been ill. The people of Pennsylvania will make no mistake if they promote Judge Yerkes to the supreme court, but they will be greviously unjust to themselves and greatly imperil their own interests, should they vote to continue in an exalted place in the public service the Allegheny tool of Quayism.

AN HONEST JUDICIARY

Judge Yerkes' Declaration As to the Duty of Members of the Bench.

In his acceptance of the Fusion nomination for the supreme court, Hon. Harman Yerkes thus farcibly writes:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 12th inst. informing me of my nomination by the Union Party for the office of justice of the supreme court of Pennsylvania.

"This nomination coming to me as the unanimous expression of confidence from a convention composed of representative Republicans of the highest character, I regard as a very great honor.

"In reply to your expressed belief that, if elected, I will fill the office to the satisfaction of the people of the commonwealth, regardless of political affiliations, I can only respond in the terms of my acceptance of the nomination for the same office by the Democratic party. My election will not be a partisan victory. The office for which you have named me is non-political, and I would belie my record of 18 years upon the bench and would betray and insult my supporters if, in the event of an election, I could degrade myself by cherishing a partisan or political purpose in the execution of any duty of my office, or if I should stoop so low as to allow myself or my office to be used to the prejudice of or to the favor of any party, class, interest, enemy or friend.

"As a judicial officer I never have considered any man's position, class, trade or occupation, circumstances, friendships or enmities, and, God willing, I never will. My only pledge is that, if elected, I will devote all my strength and ability to a faithful discharge of the duties of my office. I will obey and uphold the constitution. I will endeavor to interpret the law justly, relying upon its sound principles, following established rules, and giving due weight to reasonable precedents.

"Whatever opposition may be incited against my candidacy by any class, corporation, organization or individuals, as a result of a strict adherence in the past to these just rules of judicial duty and conduct, I shall observe them. I have an abiding confidence that the whole people of Pennsylvania, realizing at this time as never before the necessity of upholding the administration of the courts in promoting law and order, will endorse her judiciary in every effort to maintain the highest standard of duty and impartiality.

"I accept your nomination upon the assurance that the contest for my election will be made not for partisan advantage but in the interest of all Pennsylvania.

"With great respect, I am,

"Your obedient servant,

LUZON IS DISTURBED

An Attempt to Concentrate Rebel Bands.

MORE TROOPS ARE SENT TO SAMAR.

General Chaffee Does Not Expect an Extensive Engagement—The Island of Leyte Is Also Stirred Up.

MANILA, Oct. 23.—General uneasiness prevails in central Luzon. The garrisons report that several bands of rebels, numbering twenty-five or fifty, are endeavoring to concentrate at one point. This, it is believed, is the result of General Malvar's efforts at recruiting.

Notices which were recently posted on the doors of the churches in Batangas province urge that an organization be completed in January. There is a periodical scare over this in Manila, which is fomented by the sensational papers. The editors of these journals demand that additional troops be sent to Batangas as once, as there are now only 1,200 men there under Colonel McKibbin, in addition to the metropolitan police. The native police, which can hardly be counted on, are not taken into account.

The transport Sumner sailed for the Island of Samar today with a battalion of the Twelfth and Twenty-second infantry.

Governor Taft is confined at the palace with an attack of bowel troubles. He has been ordered by his physicians to remain absolutely quiet for a week.

The Philippine commission has prepared libel laws which are necessarily most stringent. The newspapers propose to fight these laws through their lawyers. The chief objection is to the unusual powers which are conferred on the judges owing to the nonexistence of jury trials.

General Chaffee does not expect to hear of any extensive engagement in the island of Samar. He believes the operations there will not result in an open fight. It is hard to find armed Filipinos, but every man without occupation will be compelled to go into a town.

It is reported that all the rifles captured by the Filipinos at Balangiga are now in the island of Leyte, where many bolomen are known to have gone from the island of Samar. In fact, Leyte is as disturbed as Samar.

The object of the re-enforcements of American troops now being pushed forward is to increase all the garrisons to thirty-eight men. Some of them have until recently numbered only eight. The re-enforcements will also allow the detailing of a working force to operate in the field, hunting for insurgents.

Ten Americans Killed.

MANILA, Oct. 19.—Five hundred bolomen yesterday attacked a detachment of forty-six men of the Ninth infantry at Baugajon, Island of Samar.

Ten of the United States troops were killed and six wounded.

The rest of the detachment reached the scene of the battle in time to prevent further slaughter.

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Lard, per pound	13
Ham, per pound	15
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	90
Oats, do	50
Rye, do	60
Flour per bbl.	3 84
Hay, per ton	12 00
Potatoes, (new), per bushel	65
Turnips, do	20
Tallow, per pound	04
Shoulder, do	11
Side meat, do	09
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	05
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	75
Corn meal, cwt.	2 00
Bran, cwt.	1 10
Chop, cwt.	1 50
Middlings, cwt.	1 15
Chickens, per pound, new	10
do do old	9
Turkeys, do	2½
Geese, do	12
Ducks, do	08

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do 6, at yard	3 15
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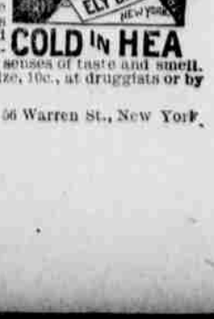

COLD IN HEA

PANIC IN A THEATER

Cry of Fire Starts a Stampede at Louisville.

MANY INJURED IN THE MAD RUSH.

A Slight Flame Caused by the Blowing Out of a Fuse on the Polyscope Created the Trouble. Little Damage by Fire.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 23.—Hundreds of people attempted to rush out of the Temple theater because the cry of fire was raised when a little flame was seen about the polyscope machine.

In the scramble scores of people were knocked down and thirteen injured, three seriously. Of the latter one may die. A number of other persons were bruised or cut, but their injuries were slight.

The place was crowded at the time, but it was emptied in a few moments.

It was about 3:30 o'clock, just after the first act of "Tennessee's Pardner." The polyscope pictures, which are shown between the acts, had just started. The machine was not working well, and the audience became restless from the delay and the hissing and sputtering of the machine. The operator tried to manipulate it and then threw the light on the screen, when suddenly there was a sputtering and hissing, a white flash, and then a lurid tongue of fire leaped out and crawled around the woodwork surrounding the machine, while the smell of fire was detected.

In a moment the audience was panic stricken, and some one cried "Fire!" The theater was packed, principally with women and children. With one impulse the audience arose and began a mad scramble for the stairway. Screaming and struggling, they fought their way toward the front stairway. Many occupants of the gallery leaped over the railing into the struggling mass of humanity below.

The great crush occurred where the stairs come down from the gallery. Here the two crowds met and were packed into a space not large enough for half of them, and all were trying with a desperation born of fear to reach the street.

The weaker were soon knocked down and trampled under foot. Those who realized the state of affairs were trying their best to check the rush, but the crowd went on pellmell through the doors and literally rolled down the long flight of stairs.

There was no damage from fire. It is said the cause of the flames was the blowing out of a fuse on the polyscope.

Exposition's Final Day.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 23.—The board of directors of the Pan-American exposition has adopted the following: "Resolved, That Saturday, Nov. 2, at midnight be fixed as the time of the final closing of the exposition." At midnight of Nov. 2 the lights of the electric tower and other lights used in the grand illumination will be finally turned off and the exposition closed. Arrangements are being made for a Western New York and Exhibitors' day. The date will be announced later. The reduced rate of 15 cents for the admission of public and parochial school children of Buffalo has been extended to all children outside of Buffalo, providing in the case of the latter that they will be admitted at the reduced rate when fifteen or more of them come in charge of a teacher, the teacher to be entitled to free admission.

Roosevelt's Action Praised.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—President Roosevelt's action in entertaining Booker T. Washington, the noted colored educator, at the White House was upheld and publicly approved by the American Missionary society, which opened its fifty-fifth annual meeting yesterday at the First Congregational church at Oak Park. The matter had been a common topic of conversation among the delegates to the convention throughout the day, the society's prominence in the education of the negro making the matter of unusual interest. Additional importance was lent to the affair from the fact that Booker T. Washington is a protege of the association.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure to get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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The beggar doesn't have to be weighed in the balance to be found wanting.

THE YALE BICENTENNIAL.

Third Day Closed With an Allegorical Entertainment.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 23.—In a great amphitheater bedecked in blue and illumined by long strings of orange hued lanterns and Greek fire flaming and smoking skyward from poles erected about the campus the sons of Yale witnessed last night an allegorical performance by the dramatic association of the university and listened to the songs of the student chorus drilled especially for this feature of the bicentennial celebration. After an afternoon devoted to football, in which the varsity eleven showed its prowess and the veteran heroes of the gridiron matched their strength and old time skill victoriously against the college team, it was not unfitting that graduates and students should assemble within the historic campus and voice their appreciation of the festival time. They ranged themselves by classes within the amphitheater nearly 8,000 strong, every class having a distinctive transparency to mark its position, and joined with vigor in the bicentennial songs.

The amphitheater was erected in the center of the old campus facing south middle dormitory, in front of which the temporary stage for the amateur performers was built. On this open air stage the members of the university dramatic association, under the leadership of Frank Lea Short as stage director, presented a performance symbolic of successive events in the history of Yale.

Between each of the scenes there were familiar college songs by the student chorus, in which all the thousands of graduates ranged about the amphitheater heartily participated. Several bands were stationed on the campus and at intervals added to the musical demonstration of the evening.

The formal reception of guests and delegates began at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon in the Art school, when President Hadley greeted the guests of the university and representatives of the alumni. This lasted about an hour.

At 8 o'clock in the evening the students and graduates met on the campus for the torchlight parade. A gorgeous illumination of the campus termed a "blazing sun" took place a few minutes before the parade started at 9 o'clock.

Nearly 25,000 persons had come during the day from different parts of the state and from New York to witness the torchlight procession. It was one of the largest crowds ever gathered here.

Opening Religious Observances.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 21.—Yale university began yesterday the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the founding of Yale college. The exercises were simple and yet imposing. It was fitting that the bicentennial of the great institution of learning should be ushered in with ceremonies essentially religious, and this was done with a programme strikingly simple, typical of the sturdy Puritan days of the old collegiate school from whence sprung the Yale of today.

Rev. Joseph Hopkins Twichell of Hartford, the senior fellow of the corporation, preached the sermon.

BANK LOOT RETURNED.

The Lowell Thieves Give Up $800,000 In Securities.

LOWELL, Mass., Oct. 22.—The financial troubles which had caused great suspense to the officers of the Merchants' National bank for three days owing to the disappearance of its teller, Albert G. Smith, and its bookkeeper, Lewis H. Swift, practically has been smoothed out.

The bank's loss, it is understood, is made up of two items—first, the stealings of the two men during the past two years, as shown now by the books, and, secondly, that part of the cash included in the loot retained by Smith and Swift as the price of their bargain to return the securities. The securities returned to the Merchants' National bank by Smith and Swift were valued at $800,000.

These "valuable securities," as described by one director, were returned in carpetbags and represented bonds, notes and other negotiable papers and big bunches of money, all supposed to have been taken from the bank vault just prior to the time the men disappeared on Thursday night.

SEEKING ANNEXATION.

Business Men In Cuba Signing a Petition to That Effect.

HAVANA, Oct. 22.—A petition asking that Cuba be annexed to the United States is being circulated among Cuban business men, and every effort is being centered upon annexation, as business men generally, it is alleged, believe that the reciprocity movement will amount to nothing.

A meeting has been arranged for tomorrow at which, although held under the guise of reciprocity, it is said, the first gun in the campaign for annexation will be fired by Cuba's orators, Senores Desvernine and Lanuza and the Marquis de Montoro.

General Buller Relieved.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Sir Redvers Buller has been relieved of the command of the First army corps in consequence of the speech he made Oct. 10 after the luncheon given in his honor by the King's Royal rifles dealing with his famous dispatch to General White at Ladysmith. He has been placed on half pay, and General French has been appointed to succeed him.

Coughed Up a Lizard.

VALLEY FIELD, Que., Oct. 21.—Mrs. P. Gaudin, who had been suffering with stomach trouble for three years, was attacked by a severe coughing spasm and coughed up a lizard five inches long. The lizard is still alive.

New Hammer Throwing Record.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—John Flanagan, the champion hammer thrower, in his efforts for championship honors at the track and field games of the Greater New York Irish Athletic association made a new world's record in throwing the fifty-six pound weight a distance of 36 feet 9½ inches. The best previous record was 35 feet 10 inches, held by J. S. Mitchell. By winning this event Flanagan now holds all heavy weight athletic records, with one exception, and that is throwing the fifty-six pound weight for height, a task at which Jim Mitchell seems to be capable of beating any other aspirant to championship honors.

Fatal Tunnel Accident.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Without warning a mass of rock some fifty feet long and weighing many tons broke from the roof of the Rapid Transit tunnel in the excavation at Eleventh avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street yesterday. In the tunnel at the time directly beneath where the mass of rock had rested before it became loosened were twenty workmen. Five were killed and several injured.

Robbers Torture Their Victims.

NEW LEXINGTON, O., Oct. 19.—Six masked men entered the residence of Charles Tague, a merchant at McLuney, this county, during the night and at the point of revolvers bound and gagged the whole family. Tague was searched and his gold watch and a considerable sum of money taken. The robbers then demanded the keys to his store, but Tague refused to reveal where they were. His shoes were removed and his feet roasted with matches and hot irons until he gave up the keys. The robbers then entered the store and thoroughly looted it. Taking Tague's horse and buggy, the gang loaded in a quantity of goods and the contents of the safe and escaped.

A Mammoth Paper Company.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 23.—The White Mountain Paper company, a $25,000,000 corporation, is being formed by western Massachusetts parties and will soon be incorporated under New Jersey laws. William B. Plunkett of Adams is to be president of the company. The company has acquired about 625 square miles of spruce and poplar timber land in New Hampshire and Maine, south and east of Mount Washington, a tract equal in extent to one-fifth of the state of New Hampshire. Portsmouth, N. H., will be the home of the company, who will build there the largest mill in the world.

Convicts to Be Set Free.

OSSINING, N. Y., Oct. 18.—Sixty-nine convicts will be liberated from Sing Sing within the next few days. An order for their release was signed by the members of the state board of parole, which has been in session at Sing Sing since Tuesday. The convicts are paroled under a new law which provides that prisoners who have conducted themselves well and have served one-third of their sentence may receive their liberty. No man sentenced to a term of more than five years is eligible to parole.

Snow's Successor Chosen.

SALT LAKE CITY, Oct. 18.—At the regular meeting of the apostles held in the temple Joseph F. Smith was chosen and set apart as president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in succession to the late Lorenzo Snow.

Secretary Root Returns.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Secretary Root has arrived in Washington and was driven directly to his residence. He resumed his duties at the war department today.

Why a Woman

Is Able to Help Sick Women When Doctors Fail.

How gladly would men fly to woman's aid did they but understand a woman's feelings, trials, sensibilities, and peculiar organic disturbances.

Those things are known only to women, and the aid a man would give is not at his command.

To treat a case properly it is necessary to know all about it, and full information, many times, cannot be given by a woman to her family physician. She cannot bring herself to tell everything, and the physician is

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at a constant disadvantage. This is why, for the past twenty-five years, thousands of women have been confiding their troubles to us, and our advice has brought happiness and health to countless women in the U.S.

Mrs. Chappell, of Grant Park, Ill., whose portrait we publish, advises all suffering women to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it cured her of inflammation of the ovaries and womb; she, therefore, speaks from knowledge, and her experience ought to give others confidence. Address Mrs. Pinkham's Laboratory, Lynn, Mass.

Tale of a Tender Heart.

The boy in tears naturally attracted the attention of the sympathetic man.

"What's happened, my boy?" the latter asked. "Perhaps I can help you."

"I lost a quarter," answered the boy "and when I go home I'll get licked for it."

"Oh, well, don't cry," returned the sympathetic man. "Here's another quarter. How did you lose the first one."

"Matching," promptly replied the boy. "I have no luck at all."—Chicago Post.

A Prince's Preference.

The many anecdotes told of Prince Edward of York all point to his unusually keen powers of observation and his intense wish to appear grown up and to do as older people do. A short time ago, when asked what he would like to do to celebrate his birthday, the reply came without a moment's hesitation: "Go for a drive in an omnibus with all the other people."

Twelve Hours Sealed Up.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Six men who had been sealed up in a submarine boat ready for launching at Barrow-in-Furness for twelve hours were released last evening. They suffered no ill effects from their confinement, the vitiated air being absorbed by the apparatus for that purpose and fresh air having been supplied from the compressors.

—Thomas Jones, of McAdoo, shot his brother, David, in mistake for a chicken thief, Monday morning.

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of Cod Liver Oil is the means of life, and enjoyment of life to thousands: men women and children.

When appetite fails, it restores it. When food is a burden, it lifts the burden.

When you lose flesh, it brings the plumpness of health.

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If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

In effect August 11, 1900

STATIONS.	EAST. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	10 35	1 50	10 00	5 50
Cameron	8 47	2 01	10 00	6 03
Chulasky	8 51	2 05	10 18	6 17
Danville	6 58	2 11	10 19	6 12
Catawissa	7 12	2 24	10 34	6 27
Rupert	7 17	2 29	10 37	6 32
Bloomsburg	7 24	2 34	10 43	6 38
Espy	7 32	2 40	10 48	6 44
Little Ridge	7 39	2 46	10 54	f6 50
Willow Grove	7 44	f2 50	10 57	6 54
Briarcreek	7 49	2 53	10 59	f6 58
Berwick	7 55	2 58	11 05	7 05
Beach Haven	8 02	3 03	11 10	7 12
Hick's Ferry	8 12	3 09	11 15	7 21
Shickshinny	8 22	3 20	11 29	7 31
Hunlock's	8 32	3 31	11 38	7 41
Nanticoke	8 38	3 38	11 43	7 46
Avondale	8 42	3 42	11 45	7 49
Plymouth	8 47	3 47	11 51	7 53
Plymouth Junction	8 51	3 52	11 54	7 56
Kingston	8 58	4 00	11 59	8 02
Bennett	9 01	4 03	12 02	8 04
Forty Fort	9 04	4 07	12 04	8 07
Wyoming	9 09	4 12	12 08	8 12
West Pittston	9 13	4 17	12 12	8 16
Susquehanna Ave	9 16	4 20	12 14	8 18
Pittston	9 19	4 24	12 17	8 21
Duryea	9 23	4 29	12 20	8 25
Lackawanna	9 26	4 32	12 22	8 27
Taylor	9 34	4 40	12 28	8 35
Bellevue	9 37	4 45	12 32	8 40
SCRANTON	9 42	4 50	12 35	8 45

STATIONS.	WEST. A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
SCRANTON	6 45	f10 05	f 30	6 10
Bellevue	6 50	10 10	1 35	6 14
Taylor	6 55	10 15	1 40	6 19
Lackawanna	7 01	10 23	1 47	6 26
Duryea	7 03	10 26	1 50	6 29
Pittston	7 07	10 31	1 54	6 33
Susquehanna Ave	7 10	10 33	1 56	6 35
West Pittston	7 13	10 35	2 00	6 39
Wyoming	7 17	10 40	2 05	6 44
Forty Fort	7 21	10 45	2 10	6 47
Bennett	7 24	10 49	2 13	6 50
Kingston	7 30	10 54	2 19	6 55
Plymouth Junction	7 34	10 58	2 24	7 00
Plymouth	7 38	11 03	2 28	7 03
Avondale	7 42	11 07	2 33	7 07
Nanticoke	7 45	11 11	2 37	7 12
Hunlock's	7 51	11 17	2 44	7 17
Shickshinny	8 01	11 29	2 57	7 31
Hick's Ferry	8 12	f11 43	3 09	7 41
Beach Haven	8 18	11 48	3 16	f7 48
Berwick	8 23	11 54	3 23	7 53
Briarcreek	8 28	12 01	3 29	8 00
Willow Grove	8 31	12 05	3 33	8 03
Lime Ridge	8 34	f12 09	3 37	8 07
Espy	8 39	12 15	3 45	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 22	3 51	8 17
Rupert	8 49	12 27	3 56	8 21
Catawissa	8 54	12 32	4 01	8 28
Danville	9 09	12 47	4 15	8 40
Cauiasky	9 15	12 52	f4 22	8 47
Cameron	9 21	12 57	4 28	8 52
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 35	1 10	4 40	9 05

‡ Runs daily. f Flag station.

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SOUTH. ARRIVE. a.m.	a.m.	p.m	p.m.	B. & S. R. R. STATIONS.	NORTH LEAVE a.m	pm	pm	am
7.10	12.05	6.20	2.15	Bloomsb'g	8.47	2.40	6.35	6.10
7.08	12.00	6.16	2.10	" P. & R	8.49	2.42	6.37	
7.03	11.57	6.14	2.08	" Main st.	8.52	2.45	6.40	7
6.53	11.47	6.02	1.50	Paper Mill	9.01	2.54	6.51	6.30
6.50	11.43	5.59	1.45	Light St.	9.05	2.59	6.55	6.50
6.40	11.33	5.49	1.30	Orangeville	9.15	3.10	7.04	7.15
6.29	11.22	5.38	1.00	...Forks...	9.28	3.20	7.14	7.35
6.25	11.19	5.34	12.53	...Zaner's..	9.27	3.24	7.18	7.40
6.18	11.13	5.27	12.45	Stillwater	9.33	3.30	7.23	8.00
6.08	11.05	5.17	12.35	...Benton..	9.43	3.40	7.33	8.30
6.04	11.00	5.12	12.10	...Edson's...	9.47	3.44	7.37	8.40
6.02	10.58	5.10	12.05	Cole's Cr'k	9.50	3.47	7.41	8.46
5.53	10.52	5.03	11.53	..Laubach..	9.58	3.57	7.51	9.00
5.43	10.43	4.53	11.45	...Central..	10 10	4.07	8.01	9.25
5.40	10.40	4.50	11.30	Jam. City.	10.14	4.10	8.05	9.35
am	am	p m	p m		a m	pm	p m	am
LEAVE								ARRIVE

PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILROAD.

TRAINS LEAVE BLOOMSBURG:

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading Pottsville, Tamaqua, weekdays 7.10 11.30 a. m.

For Williamsport, weekdays, 7.10 a. m., 3.36 p m.

For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7.10 a. m. 3.36.

For Catawissa weekdays 7.10, 8.38, 11.30 a. m., 12.20, 5.00, 6.30, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.16, 8.38 11.30 a. m., 12.20, 3.36, 5.00, 6.30, p. m.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R. through trains leave Reading Terminal, Philadelphia, 3.20, 7.55, 11.26 a. m., 3.46 7.27, p. m. Sundays 3.20, 7.55 11.26 a. m., 3.46, 7.27, p. m. Additional trains from 24 and Chestnut street station, weekdays, 1.35, 5.41 8 23 p. m. Sundays, 1.35, 8.23 p. m.

TRAINS FOR BLOOMSBURG:

Leave New York via Philadelphia 7.30 a. m., and via Easton 9.10 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia 10.21 a. m.

Leave Reading 12.15 p. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.49 p. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.13 a m, 5.42 p m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.20 9.10 a. m 1.30 3.36, 6.08 p. m.

Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.08, 8.28, 9.18 11.40 a. m., 1.38, 3.46, 6.21.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

In effect Sept. 30, 1901.

Leave Philadelphia, Chestnut street wharf and South street wharf.

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Leave ATLANTIC CITY, Weekdays—Express, 7.35, 9.00, 9.15 a. m., 2.50, 5.30, P. M. Accommodation, 8.05 a. m., 3.50 p. m.

Sundays—Express, 10.15 a. m., 4.30, 7.30, p. m. Accommodation, 7.15 a. m., 4.05 p. m.

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For OCEAN CITY—Weekdays—8.45 a. m., 4.30 5.40 p. m. Sundays, 8.45, 9.15 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

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Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect June 2, 1901

	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton (D & H)	6 45	9 58	1 20	4 25
Pittston	7 16	10 00	1 52	4 52
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Wilkesbarre	7 00	10 04	1 50	5 00
Plym'th Ferry	7 05	10 09	1 55	5 05
Nanticoke	7 15	10 20	2 05	5 17
Mocanaqua	8 04	11 07	2 50	6 05
Wapwallopen	8 13	11 16	2 59	6 47
Nescopeck	8 24	11 26	3 09	7 00
	A. M.		A. M.	
Pottsville	5 50		11 55	
Hazleton	7 05		12 48	
Tomhicken	7 22		1 03	
Fern Glen	7 29		1 10	
Rock Glen	7 35			
Nescopeck	8 00		1 33	
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck	8 24	11 26	3 07	7 00
Creasy	8 33	11 36	3 16	7 09
Espy Ferry	8 43	11 46	3 24	7 20
E. Bloomsburg	8 47	11 50	4 29	7 25
		P. M.		
Catawissa	8 55	11 57	4 35	7 32
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S. Danville	9 14	12 15	4 53	7 51
Sunbury	9 35	12 40	5 15	8 15
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury	9 42	1 10	5 45	9 45
Lewisburg	10 13	1 45	6 18	
Milton	10 08	1 39	6 14	10 06
Williamsport	11 00	2 30	7 10	10 50
Lock Haven	11 59	3 40	8 07	
Renovo	A. M.	4 40	9 00	
Keating		8 25		
	P. M.	P. M.		
Lock Haven	12 10	12 45		
Bellefonte	1 05	1 44		
Tyrone	2 15	3 00		
Philipsburg	4 41	4 18		
Clearfield	5 37	5 09		
Pittsburg	6 55	7 15		
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury	10 00	2 03		
	P. M.			
Lewistown Jc	11 40	3 50		
Pittsburg	6 55	11 30		
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Harrisburg	11 45	5 45	7 15	10 25
Pittsburg	6 55	11 30	1 30	5 30

† Weekdays. Daily. ‡ Flag station.

	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
Pittsburg	7 10	9 00	1 30	8 00
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.
Harrisburg	1 15	4 20	1 05	5 35
		a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
Pittsburg				† 8 00
				P. M.
Lewistown Jc.		† 7 30		† 3 10
Sunbury		† 9 20		† 5 00
	p. m.	A. M.	A. M.	a. m
Washington	10 40		† 7 38	11 35
Baltimore	11 41	† 4 45	† 8 40	11 45
Philadelphia	11 20	† 4 25	† 8 30	12 25
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Harrisburg	3 35	7 25	‡11 40	† 4 00
Sunbury	5 05	9 36	1 10	† 5 40
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
Pittsburg	12 45		1 30	8 00
Clearfield	4 09			9 28
Philipsburg	4 56			10 12
Tyrone	7 15		† 8 10	12 15
Bellefonte	8 31		9 32	1 25
Lock Haven	9 30		10 30	2 17
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Erie	5 35			
Kane	8 40		5 00	
Renovo	12 40	† 6 45	10 30	
Lock Haven	1 25	† 7 35	11 25	3 06
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Williamsport	2 10	† 8 30	†12 40	4 06
Milton	2 22	9 19	1 27	4 52
Lewisburg		9 05	1 15	4 47
Sunbury	3 10	9 46	1 55	5 20
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury	10 50	† 9 55	† 2 00	†5 48
S. Danville	7 13	10 17	2 21	6 09
Catawissa	7 33	10 35	2 36	6 27
E. Bloomsburg	7 39	10 43	2 43	6 32
Espy Ferry	7 43	f10 47		f 6 36
Creasy	7 53	10 56	2 55	6 46
Nescopeck	8 03	11 05	3 05	6 55
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck	8 35	†	15 15	† 7 05
Catawissa		10 38		
Rock Glen		11 22		7 38
Fern Glen	9 01	11 28	5 41	7 54
Tomhicken	9 07	11 38	5 47	7 42
Hazleton	9 24	11 58	6 03	8 08
Pottsville	10 15		6 55	
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Wapwallopen	8 16	11 20	3 19	7 09
Mocanaqua	8 26	11 32	3 29	7 21
Nanticoke	8 47	11 54	3 48	7 42
		P. M.		
Plym'th Ferry	8 57	12 02	3 57	7 52
Wilkesbarre	9 05	12 10	4 05	8 00
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Pittston (D & H)	† 9 39	12 55	† 4 56	† 8 36
Scranton	10 08	1 24	5 24	9 05

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1901

STATE TICKET.

JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT,
HON. HARMAN YERKES.

STATE TREASURER,
ELISHA A. CORAY, JR.

COUNTY TICKET.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
JAMES T. FOX.

COUNTY SURVEYOR,
BOYD TRESCOTT.

TO THE VOTERS OF COLUMBIA CO.

On the 5th day of November, 1901, the people of this State will elect a Justice of the Supreme Court and a State Treasurer. In addition to this, important amendments to the Constitution will be voted for.

If the voters of the State decide in favor of the proposed amendments to the Constitution a decided step in the direction of ballot reform and honest elections will be taken.

The Democratic party has placed in nomination for Justice of the Supreme Court a man who has no political debts to pay, and whose only duty will be to hand from the highest Court of the State justice to all parties, without distinction to any class or set of men. He has been endorsed by all political organizations whose platform is "Cleaner Politics and Better State Government."

For State Treasurer the Democratic party has endorsed Hon. E. A. Coray, a man who is fearless and whose only aim is to do his duty.

In the county we have but two offices to fill, to wit: Associate Judge and County Surveyor. For Associate Judge Hon. James T. Fox has been nominated. Judge Fox has filled this same position for nearly a term and his record is sufficient evidence that his aim is to do right and perform his duty. For County Surveyor Boyd Trescott, Esq., has been nominated. Of him it can be said he is the right man in the right place.

We, therefore, urge upon all citizens the importance of going to the polls and cast their ballots, see to it that their neighbors go out. Perform this duty of citizenship. Let there be no stay-at-homes in Columbia county.

C. A. SMALL,
County Chairman.
W. A. EVERT, }
J. K. BITTENBENDER, } Sec'ys.

The Quay machine newspapers are greatly exercised just now because Coray, an independent Republican, is on the Democratic ticket. They don't want Democrats to vote for a Republican. Funny, isn't it?

The attempt to throw Coray off the ticket by the assistance of alleged Democrats, should be resented at the polls by every man who wants honest government in Pennsylvania. This can be done by voting on November 5th.

Democrats can vote a straight ticket by making a cross in the circle at the top of the second column of the ballot. Independent Republicans can vote a straight ticket by making a cross in the circle at the top of the sixth column, marked "Union."

Leading copper interests speak very confidently as to the future. They say the whole copper situation is looking very much better than it was three months ago, notwithstanding there has been no increase in the European demand. Germany still withholds from the market.

When the Dauphin county court decided that Coray was not properly nominated, the Quay machine organs were delighted. Why? Because they are afraid of fusion. They don't like it. What the machine does not want is a pretty good thing for their opponents to hook on to.

After the nomination of Elisha A. Coray Jr. by the Democratic State Committee, for the office of State Treasurer, exceptions were filed by John M. Garman, former state chairman, and the case was heard before the Dauphin county court, resulting in a decision last Saturday that the proceedings were not regular because no notice had been given to the Donnelly-Ryan committeemen of Philadelphia. Another meeting was called for Tuesday, at which these men were present, and Mr. Coray was unanimously nominated, and his name will be printed in the Democratic column of the ballot.

Garman, who has long been under suspicion as a Quay adjunct, and been openly accused of treachery to his party, could not have taken any step that would have been more convincing. His claim that he "wanted to save the Democratic party from demoralization," is so extremely attenuated, that he has deceived no one. All the prominent and trusted party leaders are in favor of fusion; all the Democratic and independent Republican papers of the state support the movement. John M. Garman alone discovers that it will "demoralize the party." The conclusion is irresistible that his action was induced by a desire to help the Quay machine by preventing fusion. The Democratic party has no use for such men.

The Mystery Solved.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Charles F. Dietz, a young dentist of Williamsport, who had been missing since September 26, was partly solved on Saturday, when his body was found floating in Lycoming Creek, near Cogan Station. A gold watch and a number of letters were found on the body. When Dietz left his boarding house in that city on the evening of September 26, he intended going to Lock Haven, where his parents reside. It is believed he boarded a Northern Central train by mistake, and when he reached Cogan Station alighted from the train and started to walk back to the city. In crossing the railroad bridge he fell through into the creek and was drowned. Dietz was 22 years of age. He recently graduated from the University of Pennsylvania.

A McKinley Postal Card.

The Postoffice Department has decided to place the portrait of the late President McKinley on the new issue of postal cards, which will appear shortly after December 1st next. The design includes the year of birth and year of death immediately at the left and right respectively of the name "McKinley," which will be directly under the head. Above the head will be the words, "Series of 1901."

A Great Opportunity.

The burned district of Jacksonville, Fla., is to be rebuilt at once, offering an opportunity of employment to workmen, and excellent prospects to contractors and capitalists. Jacksonville is reached from all directions by the Seaboard Air Line Railway System, which offers unexcelled facilities in the way of schedules and through car service to that point. 2t.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Oct. 21, 1901.

While every effort is being made to prevent publicity being given to the fact it is learned that the Treasury statement for September, which shows a falling off in our export trade for that month of over $9,000,000, as compared with the corresponding month of last year, has given the Republican leaders a bad scare and that means to reverse this condition of affairs are the chief topic of discussion at the White House. Senator Frye was summoned and immediately seized the opportunity to push his subsidy bill into presidential favor, although, of course, he also discussed reciprocity treaties as a valuable means towards increasing the export trade. The President also sent word to Senator Lodge that he would like to see him immediately upon his arrival in this country and accordingly that gentleman came to Washington before going to his home in Massachusetts.

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Although Senator Frye granted an interview to the newspaper men and talked definitely on the subject of his subsidy bill, and more or less vaguely on the subjects of reciprocity, the isthmian canal, the revenue cutter service etc., the real object of his coming to Washington did not come out. Senator Lodge was seen by your correspondent, and practically every other Washington correspondent, but he refused positively to say anything for publication. There is a decided fear that the conditions may shape themselves as they did during the Harrison administration when from a period of prosperity things took a sudden "slump" and resulted in a Democratic victory at the following presidential election. The next two years will prove the critical period in the present administration and everything possible must be done to promote real or apparent prosperity until the people have expressed themselves at the polls in 1904.

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It is confidently predicted by people who ought to know that the President is most anxious to have Senator Lodge in the Cabinet and that he would be much relieved if Secretary Hay would kindly tender his resignation, as that is the portfolio that he desires to offer to Lodge. So confident is the President that Mr. Hay will resign, as soon as the isthmian treaty is concluded, that he has persuaded Mr. Lodge to make no effort to secure the chairmanship of the Committee on Foreign Relations, which, by right of seniority, would go to Senator Cullom and which Senator Lodge would prefer to everything else except the portfolio of State. It is given out that for the present Senator Lodge will retain the Chairmanship of the Philippines Committee.

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Secretary Gage seems to be slated for retirement and it is believed that he will hand in his resignation soon after his return from the West. The friends of the new Republican machine in the South are trying to persuade the president that the cause would be greatly advanced by the selection of Senator McLaurin for a Cabinet position and it is barely possible that he may be invited to join the presidential advisory board. Although Secretary Root has taken no definite steps in that direction, his friends think his failing health will compel his retirement and that he will be forced to go abroad for a time.

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Representative Overstreet of Indiana was in Washington this week and says that the President assured him that his financial bill, which will make the silver dollar exchangeable for gold, will receive Executive support. He will therefore reintroduce the bill early this session.

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A number of Congressmen who have been in Washington during the Schley Court of Inquiry, which is still in progress, have expressed the opinion that irrespective of the merits of the Schley—Sampson controversy, the affair has developed the existence of a condition of affairs in the Navy Department which should be investigated and it is considered extremely probable that a Congressional inquiry, which will thoroughly overhaul that department, will be next in order. The only thing that will prevent it will be the opinion by the party leaders that such a course, in view of the amount of bad government it would be likely to expose, would be bad politics.

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The Republican leaders are greatly relieved at the decision of Mr. Roosevelt not to interfere with the status of the Philippines for an indefinite period. At the present time the Dingley tariff bill is in force between the United States and the Philippines and that quite suits the protected interests. It will be the desire of the Republicans, when any change is made, to put as high a tariff as possible on exports from those islands, and the leaders are by no means anxious to precipitate a discussion, which, at this time, would prove productive of as much feeling as did the Porto Rico tariff bill.

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The retaliatory tariff devised by Secretary Gage to punish Russia for legislation believed to be derogatory to American sugar interests, seems to be a particularly sore point with the administration, and one concerning the results of which it is difficult to obtain information, but it is known that the Republicans are most desirous of negotiating a reciprocity treaty with Russia and the subject is one that will receive a great deal of attention from the President and the Senators, who favor him with their counsel during the next two months.

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Senator Platt has given out the statement that he believes reciprocity treaties stand a better chance in the coming Congress than they ever did before, and that he thinks the French treaty, of which he says, "some modifications have been arranged among the Senators," will pass.

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Captain George P. Ahern, Ninth Infantry, who is at the head of the Philippine Bureau of Forestry, and who is now in Washington, gives me some interesting information on the forest resources of the Philippines. He says there are about 50,000,000 acres of forest land in the islands and much of the timber is of the more valuable varieties, quite as good as that of German forests, which yield their government an annual gross income of $81 per acre, the cost of supervision being about 55 per cent. of the gross receipts. Captain Ahern believes an equal or greater income can eventually be derived from the Philippine forests and that the expenses can be reduced to a smaller percentage of the receipts.

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Strength without inflation still summarizes the iron and steel situation. Despite two months of interruption by the strike, evidence accumulates that the year will surpass all records in production of finished material, and consequently in consumption of ore and pig iron. Orders already booked for delivery far into 1902 promise that next year will bring still higher records, and the steadiness of prices makes the outlook especially favorable. Mills as a rule have practically closed contracts for all the orders that can be filled this year, and future developments can only affect conditions in 1902 as to finished steel. Heavy orders are recorded for rails, with a free movement of structural material, while wire and wire nails go abroad in large quantity. Pig iron is hardening under the vigorous demand, forge and southern foundry securing definite advances, and Bessemer in Pittsburg is firm at $16. Tin plates are almost restored to normal prices. Since domestic mills have resumed and imports ceased, the London market has declined sharply. Copper rose in the face of reports that a large reduction in list price was contemplated by leading producers to reduce stocks.

McKinley Photographs.

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Take your bike to the Bloomsburg Cycle Works, rear of Moore's store, for all repairs.

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Paul E. Wirt has received a silver medal from the Pan-American Exposion for his exhibit of fountain pens.

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There is absolutely no interest in the political game, hereabouts. The old days of hot politics appears to have passed.

A number of Espy people are afflicted with tonsilitis. The younger element of the town, particularly are complaining.

A cart for sale, or exchange for hay or straw. Also one, or the pair of sorrels for sale.
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Sheriff Knorr on Tuesday afternoon sold the Espy Furniture Company's plant to George B. Breon, of Williamsport, the plaintiff in the writ, for $1296.46.

The initial euchre party of the Bloomsburg Wheelmen was held Thursday evening. The prizes were won by Miss Hattie Goldsmith of Mt. Carmel and Gerald Gross.

We were treated to the first snow of the season on Friday morning. The downfall was so brief, however that few people were aware of it. Beautiful weather has been the order since.

Mrs. Sarah E. Eves, and family, consisting of son Reuben, and daughters, Misses Louisa and Elena, have moved from Millville to Woodbury, N. J., where they will reside in the future.

The A. & T. Biograph Company has been engaged by the Lutheran congregation of Mifflintown, to give its matchless exhibition there on the evenings of Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15 and 16. This is a return engagement.

Mrs. William Ruckle of West Third Street, plunged headlong down the cellar steps at her home Monday, inflicting a painful cut on the left side of her face. Dr. Bierman was summoned. It required five stitches to close the cut.

I will exchange stock in the reorganized Carpet Works for Ingrain and Tapestry Bonds, on payment of two per cent. assessment on bonds. For particulars apply to
CHARLES H. WELLES,
4t] Connell Bldg., Scranton, Pa.

Light Lunch, the big bay horse which was driven in Friday's races at the Fair, two weeks ago, dropped dead in front of the judges' stand at the Hagerstown Fair Ground last week. The animal was entered here by A. W. Carlisle, of Harrisburg.

Horace Kramer has gone to York, Pa., where he has secured a good position. Horace is one of our graduates and we will be pleased to see him prosper. His position at York is in a machine shop, a knowledge of which he has attained since his departure from the art preservative, four years ago.

W. D. Hileman, of Millville, has been appointed gauger at Ash Bros'. distillery at Briarcreek, in place of A. D. Brader. Some remarks, made by Brader's son, on the death of President McKinley, is the cause of the removal. Mr. Brader disclaims all responsibility for his son's words, and as he was an efficient official the penalty is a heavy one.

Joseph Decker, who has been a resident of Bloomsburg since 1854, died at his home Saturday morning, from ailments incident to old age. He was born in Germany and emigrated to this country when a young man. For many years past he has earned a livelihood by weaving carpets. He was aged seventy-nine years and is survived by three daughters and one son. The funeral was held on Tuesday.

You'll like the "Man in the Moon." It never fails to please. Get your seats reserved now, the attendance will be large.

Charles Eves, of Millville, was married at New Market, Maryland, yesterday, to Miss Ellen Russel, a former teacher in Greenwood Seminary.

A train on the W. & W. Railroad killed two calves, near Millville, Monday. They belonged to Elmer Edwards and Charles Brumstetler.

The Electric Railway Co's cars will be fitted up with card receptacles 14x22 in size, for the advertising of church fairs, festivals and other events, and all advertising to be done on the cars in the future will be restricted to this system. We are prepared to print these cards on short notice.

The supper given in the basement of the M. E. Church by the ladies of the congregation last Thursday evening was a success in every way, in fact provision had not been made for the large number who attended and a great many had to leave without any supper. The profits exceeded one hundred dollars.

An aggregation of pigskin enthusiasts, hailing from Askam, near WilkesBarre, furnished practice for the Normal eleven Saturday afternoon. The score, after two twenty minute halves, was Normal 26, Askam 0. During the progress of the game the Normal rooters introduced several new yells, the phraseology of which was very clear.

The Twentieth Century Minstrel troupe did not get wealthy over Tuesday evening's visit to Berwick. The audience was not as large as was expected, and the boys were somewhat disheartened. Nevertheless they came out on the safe side of the venture with a little balance to play on. Berwick never has taken very kindly to Bloomsburg theatrical companies.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will superintend a Rummage Sale in the Store-room on Main Street four doors below the Post Office. There will be special bargains in Clothing, Shoes, Books, Bric-a-brac, House Furnishings, etc. etc. Sale begins Monday, October 28, lasting daily from 9:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

The trolley line did a nice business between here and Berwick Sunday. Passengers were too numerous for the seating capacity of the cars, and a great many were compelled to stand for the entire distance. Just as soon as the sub power station at Willow Grove, is put into operation, the Company hopes to reduce considerably the running time between the towns.

Do you want a good second-hand bicycle? If so, go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store. One ladies' wheel $9.00, with new tires; one gent's wheel, style, Sentinel, a bargain at $11.00; one gent's wheel, style, Reading, for 11.00; one high grade Columbia wheel, gent's, for $9.50, on Reading Special, with coaster brake, for $16.50. New last year; one Crescent tandem for $25.00.

Berwick day (last Friday) at the Bloomsburg Fair was the largest in its history. Between 2,000 and 3,000 people from here went down by railroad and trolley. Our band furnished the music and also took the laurels in that line this year. The exhibit of the Berwick Store Co., Limited was the finest in the bunch. And, say! generally speaking, we're a pretty warm combination up here just beyond this end of the trolley line.—*Berwick Independent.*

The Winona Fire Company was defeated in a pool tournament by the Bloomsburg Wheelmen at the Club House Monday night. The match was quite interesting throughout, and was thoroughly enjoyed not only by the participants but also by those who looked on. The scores of the games follow:

Wheelmen.		Winonas.	
W. S. Rishton	40	Boyd Maize	36
H. J. Achenbach	27	Lambert McHenry	40
D. J. Tasker	40	Clark Hagenbuch	30
Gerald Gross	40	W. H. Coffman	23
Wm. Webb	35	Ed. Lewis	40

The friends of Jay Brown are arranging for a testimonial entertainment to be given in the Opera House, probably next week. The Civic Club and Winona Fire Co's. Minstrels will combine for the occasion. The possibilities for a good program from this scheme can easily be imagined. Mr. Brown, it will be remembered directed the Civic Club Minstrels last season, and he was also instrumental in making the Winona recent entertainment the success that it was. It is hoped that the efforts of those who have the matter in charge, will be rewarded by a good house.

PURELY PERSONAL

Clinton Hagenbuch returned to Bay Shore, New York, Saturday.

Rohr McHenry, one of Benton's foremost citizens was in town Friday.

E. M. Kester and son Bruce, returned home from Philadelphia on Tuesday morning.

Charles Alexander of New York City spent a few days with his parents on West street this week.

Harry Richey spent last week attending the Buffalo Exposition. He returned home Saturday night.

Thomas Vanderslice and Lawrence Tooley accompanied the Winona boys to Berwick Tuesday evening.

Rev. R. H. Gilbert, of Berwick, has arrived home from London, where he attended the Ecumenical Conference.

Miss Mary McNinch is attending the Luzerne County Teachers Institute which is in session at Wilkesbarre this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Pursel and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hartman returned from Buffalo on Saturday. These are the closing days of the Exposition, but they say that big crowds are attending daily.

Miss Hannah Breece departed Thursday morning for Colorado to enter upon her duties as teacher in one of the Indian schools. Miss Clora Furman has been elected to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Breece's resignation.

Mrs. George Jones and Mrs. Geo. Beagle of Scranton, Mrs. A. R. Henrie and daughter Miss Hester of Mifflinville and a number of our towns people were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Richart, Wednesday afternoon of last week.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary $18.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished, when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Caxton Build'g, Chicago. (16Ty26

Hammocks—many styles and many prices—at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

W. O. Dewitt of Harrisburg, has been elected to the superintendency of the Catawissa Electric Light plant. He occupied this position once before.

Summer Hill social circles, says an exchange, were much excited this week over the elopement of Clara, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Houck, with Chas. Alberson, the hired man on the farm. They left last Friday morning for a day at Bloomsburg Fair but instead went to Binghamton and were married. They returned Saturday night and reported what had occurred much to the surprise of Mr. and Mrs. Houck and their friends. The bride is but 15 years old and the groom about 24.

Says He Was An Accomplice.

A dispatch in the Philadelphia *Inquirer* from Pottsville, says that the Sheriff of Schuylkill County, has received a query from Stouts Mountains, Alabama, asking whether "Kit Kanil" alias John Dongan is wanted for the murder of Alexander Rae. The crime was commited at a point somewhere between Centralia and Mt. Carmel, in the fall of 1868. He was the paymaster, and he was killed for the money that he was supposed to have on his person. They were disappointed, however, as $19.00 was all they got.

In 1869, or one year after the crime, a man by the name of Donahue was tried for it, but was acquitted. The case was again revived several years later by the arrest of a trio composed of Hester, Tully and McHugh. These men were tried, and convicted. The evidence against them was furnished by an accomplice named Kelley, who made a full confession. They were hanged in Bloomsburg. If the following dispatch is true, and Dongan is tried, it will according to law, take place here. The dispatch concludes with the following:

"It is understood that Dongan has confessed that he assisted to murder Alexander Rae, near Centralia, during the reign of the Mollie Maguires in the anthracite region. The Schuylkill county officials are considering the advisability of having requisition papers made out and having the self-confessed murderer brought here for trial. This is the last echo of the famous Mollie Maguire outrages, which stirred the entire country during the centennial year."

Greatly Reduced Excursion Rates to Buffalo.

On October 18th, 25th and 30th Ticket Agents of the Lackawanna Railroad will sell two day coach excursion tickets to Buffalo good going on any regular train date of sale and for return on any regular train the following day. The round trip rate from Bloomsburg will be $5.60 which is the lowest fare ever made to Buffalo, affording a splendid opportunity to visit the Pan-American Exposition at a nominal cost. 2t.

Chicken and Waffle Supper.

For the benefit of the new M. E. Church in Almedia, Saturday evening from the hours of 5 to 10. This supper is to be held in Church. Everybody invited. Price of supper 15cts.

CLARKS'.

This Store's Mission.

To supply the best merchandise, broadly and economically. The time to test it is now, when everybody needs wearing apparel for fall and winter. Clark's store never presented a more complete assortment than this season, in all departments, of reliable and dependable merchandise, nor so low prices for equal qualities. We sell you merchandise for just what it is. We have large collections for you to select from, and the prices are the lowest for equal qualities. We invite an inspection.

DRESS GOODS.

Are here in abundance for your selection. All the popular materials and colors, and at the lowest prices.

50 in. all wool broadcloth, $1 00 a yard.

52 in. all wool Venetian, 96c a yard.

56 in. all wool Homespun Serge, 70c a yard.

38 in. all wool Suitings, 50c a yard.

COATS, CAPES.

They're here, in good assortments and newest styles. Good materials, best workmanship and lowest prices.

27 in. Auto Coat, all lined with Skinner's satin; storm collar, new sleeve; cloth of American Kersey, at $8 46.

42 in. Auto Coat, made of fine Kersey cloth, Skinner satin lined, stitched revers and bottom storm collar, cuff sleeve, pearl buttons, half tight back, at $12 82.

PATTERN HATS.

A choice lot of the newest shapes. Made of good materials by N. Y. milliners, at less money than elsewhere. It will pay you to visit our millinery department if you desire to save money. Also a good line of shirt waist hats are here.

INFANT'S WEAR.

You will find this department complete with all articles for infant's wear. Short white dresses, long white dresses, skirts, capes, coats, leggins, hosiery, mittens, booties, bibs, gum cloths, &c.

ART DENIMS, SILKOLENES, &c

The season's newest patterns are here in these goods. Used for decorating, floor covering, furniture covering, comforts, &c. You should see this line.

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One Price—Cash.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

SHOES OF ALL KINDS,

except inferior shoes, can be found here. We offer honest material, whether it be calf or kid, and made up in an honest manner, into stylish and durable footwear, for men, women and children.

Any and every new shape or style that is worthy of consideration will be found in our stock. Our ladies' shoes, at $2.00, have had a remarkable sale. Their merits have won friends everywhere. Another good shoe is Colonial Dame, at $2.50.

F. D. DENTLER.

OWLS HAVE BEEN CALLED WISE,

Since one, a long time ago, it is said, discovered that he needed glasses, and immediately put them on. You who are working your eyes should emulate the owl, put a pair of glasses between your eye weakness and the world. Don't let it go any further. Accurate and careful examinations are made here. Oculist's prescriptions carefully filled. Eyes tested free. Correction guaranteed. Come in to-day, any day.

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GEO. W. HESS,

DR. OF REFRACTION AND JEWELER,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Some More of Those

CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS

At 65c. and 75c. each, and they are good quality for the price. Call and examine them.

J. LEE MARTIN,
The Jeweler.

Druggists Will Close at Nine O'clock.

We, the undersigned druggists, agree to close our stores at nine o'clock from October 22nd to December 1st and from December 26th until April 1st, '02, with the exception of Saturday evenings and the 15th of each month.

George P. Ringler,
W. S. Rishton,
J. H. Mercer,
G. A. McKelvy,
Moyer Bros.,
C. A. Kleim.

St. Columba's Catholic church realized seven hundred dollars from the dining hall on the fair grounds. This is over and above all expenses. On Thursday of the fair over nine hundred people were fed, that is at both meals, dinner and supper. The congregation is to be congratulated on its success.

JAMES REILLY & SON,

BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS.

STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS.

EXCHANGE BLOCK, SECOND FLOOR

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

The French chamber rejected a motion to fix a minimum wage for miners.

M. C. D. Borden again increased the wages of his cotton operatives at Fall River, Mass.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago suggested a law forbidding private winerooms in city saloons.

Miss Eastwick of Philadelphia pleaded guilty in London of forging a railroad certificate.

The Northern Pacific railroad took out at Duluth, Minn., a $20,000,000 fire insurance policy covering its whole system.

Tuesday, Oct. 22.

Marquis Ito called on the president and Secretary Hay.

The Duke of Teck was robbed of watch and money on the Ophir.

Bubonic plague is reported to be raging Fuchau and vicinity, China.

The Pennsylvania supreme court decided that the Philadelphia "ripper" law is unconstitutional.

Henry M. Fedley of New York city, a Yale freshman, was arrested on the charge of causing the death of Edward Corrigan, a fellow student.

Monday, Oct. 21.

Rear Admiral Francis M. Bunce died at his home in Hartford, Conn.

The steamship Siberia, 18,600 tons, was launched at Newport News, Va.

Hall Caine has consented to become a candidate for the Manx parliament.

It is estimated that the Florida range crop will amount to 1,500,000 boxes.

At Niagara Falls, N. Y., the International theater was badly damaged by fire; loss, $15,000.

The Republicans of Ohio have formally opened their state campaign at a great demonstration in Delaware.

A destructive fire swept Sydney, C. B., causing heavy property damage and rendering many people homeless.

Five firemen were injured and $1,000,000 worth of property destroyed in a fire on West Fourteenth street, Chicago.

The captain and ten sailors of a French fishing vessel from Newfoundland were drowned in the wreck of their vessel off the coast of Finistere, France.

Saturday, Oct. 19.

Former Governor John S. Pillsbury died at Minneapolis.

Congressman Hull, who is ill at Des Moines, Ia., is reported better.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall have left St. John, N. B., for Halifax.

The National bank of Boyertown, Pa., was closed on account of cashier's defalcation.

Gold and silver bars have been washed out of an old wreck on the island of Grand Cayman, near Jamaica.

General James A. Walker, ex-congressman from the Ninth Virginia district, is reported critically ill at his home in Wytheville.

The new battleship Retvizan, built at Philadelphia for Russia, averaged 18.8 knots for twelve hours, breaking the battleship record.

Friday, Oct. 18.

Naples was officially declared free from plague.

Earl Russell was released from jail in London, having served his sentence for bigamy.

A large gold shipment and 300 passengers from Cape Nome, Alaska, reached Puget sound.

An anarchist editor was sent to prison in Berlin for approving McKinley's assassination.

Thursday, Oct. 17.

Empress Augusta Victoria is still confined to her sickroom.

Secretary Hay has resumed his duties at the state department.

The battleship Indiana started from New York for the West Indies.

Congressmen who have been visiting the Philippines sailed for home.

King Edward was assailed by ritualistic organs for attending a Presbyterian church at Crailthie.

Kingston, N. Y., celebrated the one hundred and twenty-fourth anniversary of its burning by the British.

Clinton, a mining town located on the Northern Pacific sixteen miles east of Missoula, Mon., was wiped out by fire.

Molineux Out of Sing Sing.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Rowland B. Molineux is back in the Tombs. He reached New York over the New York Central and Hudson River railroad at the Grand Central station at 4:57 o'clock last evening, entered a carriage and was driven to the prison. He was accompanied by his father, his counsel, George Gordon Battle, and Detective Sergeant McNaught. Molineux was shaved and dressed in a prison made suit before the hour for his departure. He then stepped on the scales, and it was found that he had lost just one pound since he had been in the prison.

Dragged to Death by a Colt.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 21.—John Touhey, a lad adopted from the Catholic protectory in New York city by James Touhey, a farmer living near here, was killed in an odd manner. He was sent to a field to bring in a colt. Instead of leading it by the halter he tied the rope around his own body. The colt ran away, dragging the boy over a field and a stone wall. Being missed by the family, search was made and the lad's crushed body found still tied to the colt.

Electric Power Without Wires.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Experiments were made at the residence of the inventors, Messrs. Armstrong and Orling, Buckinghamshire, of a new system of wireless telegraphy and telephony, using earth currents instead of air currents, as in the Marconi system. Operations were successfully conducted over a distance of 500 yards.

THE PUBLIC REVOLT

The Issues of the Campaign As Clearly Stated By the Fusion Candidate for State Treasurer.

In his letter of acceptance of the Union party nomination for state treasurer, Hon. E. A. Coray writes to the chairman of the notification committee, as follows:

"Replying to your letter notifying me of my selection by the recent convention of the Union party as its candidate for state treasurer, I desire to say the nomination is accepted and the high honor conferred fully appreciated.

"It was natural to expect that revolt would follow the unspeakable acts of the late legislature. It is the revolt of patriotic citizens jealous of the honor of the commonwealth. It is the revolt of long-suffering taxpayers, goaded to desperation by their plunderers. It is revolt against the machine that writes reform in its platform, proclaims it from the stump and then repudiates it in every political act. It is revolt against the further exercise of power of attorney for a great political party by men who are without pride in its traditions or loyalty to its principles and who constantly humiliate it by their practices. It is revolt against conspiracies to loot the assets of the commonwealth, from the coin of the treasury to the coal in the bowels of the earth. It is a revolt against legislation to pinch the capitalist and rob the laborer of the fruits of his toil. It is revolt against the purchase and sale of legislation. It is a revolt against politics on the bench.

"The machine fears this revolt. It strives to befog the issues. "Yellow," it cries at the faithful press that turns light upon its blackness. "Anarchy," shout the promoters of stuffed ballot boxes and treasury looters at those who strive to curb their lawlessness. Still the revolt spreads. Thousands of reputable citizens, aforetime sturdy sticklers for party regularity, are joining the forces of good government—not that they love party regularity less, but decency, the honor of the state, and their own interests as taxpayers more. The revolt is born of the hope of better government in Pennsylvania. It is rooted in righteousness. It must win.

"Regarding the office of state treasurer, I would suggest that it should cease to be regarded as a "plum tree." It should cease to be a receptacle for padded pay rolls, or bonds of indemnity. It should not honor vouchers for contingent expenses, unless specifically itemized. It should pay no officers except those elected or appointed in pursuance of law. It should not withhold payment of appropriations for public schools or charitable institutions in the interest of favorite banks. Its transactions, its assets and its accounts should be so open that any citizen of the commonwealth, desiring to do so, may be able to make himself familiar with them.

"In brief, in connection with the state treasury and its management there should be the strictest compliance with the requirements of the law and the constitution—no secrets, no mysteries, no bonuses or "rake-offs;" no funds for speculators; no fear of attack; no occasion for seeking refuge behind statutes of limitation, or fleeing from the jurisdiction of the state. And if elected state treasurer I pledge myself to conduct the office in harmony with the above suggestions."

AN HONORABLE JUDICIAL CAREER

Judge Yerkes' Eighteen Years' Service On the Bench—A Model Jurist.

Hon. Harman Yerkes was born in Bucks county, in 1843. In early life he became a school teacher and later studied law, under the late Judge Ross, being admitted to the bar in 1865. He at once entered upon a successful practice at Doylestown and was elected judge of the county court, in 1883, and has served continuously since, being now near the close of his second term. Before going upon the bench, he took a very active part in local, state and national politics, serving in Democratic conventions. In 1868 he was elected district attorney, and in 1873 was chosen state senator, being re-elected in 1876. His legislative career was conspicuous for ability and zeal in the performance of his duty. As a jurist, Judge Yerkes has displayed superior ability, winning the highest opinions from all classes of the people. He has been a terror to evildoers and has held the scales of justice evenly between litigants. Near the close of his first term all the members of the bar, irrespective of party, addressed to him a letter urging that he be a candidate for re-election. Unanimously nominated again by the Democrats, he was indorsed by the Republican convention and re-elected. In 1895 he was one of the nominees for the superior court.

In social life Judge Yerkes is a conspicuous figure at his home, in Doylestown. In 1869 he was married to a daughter of Monroe Buckman. He is a member of the vestry of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and rector's warden. He is a member of the Society of Sons of the Revolution and of the Historical Societies of Pennsylvania and Bucks County and is a past master of the Doylestown Lodge of Masons.

For a long time in advance of the last Democratic state convention, by which Judge Yerkes was unanimously nominated to succeed Justice William P. Potter, on the supreme bench, he was unquestionably the choice of every element of his party for that exalted office. The placing of his name on the Democratic state ticket, with such enthusiastic unanimity, and the adoption of a platform aiming at the complete fusion which has been effected, was hailed by the independent voters of the state as the forerunner of victory. By Independent Republicans, as well as by Democrats, Judge Yerkes is regarded as the strongest man who could have been selected to head the fight of the people to strengthen and dignify the highest tribunal of the commonwealth.

A MOST FAITHFUL PUBLIC SERVANT

How the Reform Candidate for State Treasurer Has Fought For the People at Harrisburg.

Elisha A. Coray, Jr., is a native of Bradford county, Pa., 43 years of age. He has resided in Luzerne county, at West Pittston, for many years past. After an academic education, he learned the printer's trade and became a reporter on the Pittston Evening Gazette, which he served acceptably for six years. Taking an active interest in politics, he became a member of the Republican county committee, and was also chairman of the legislative district committee. In 1888 Mr. Coray was elected to the legislature and re-elected in 1890. Throughout both terms he was an intelligent and faithful legislator, exerting his influence upon every occasion in favor of honest and desirable legislation and against everything of a dishonest character, no matter from what source it came. After five years of retirement from public life, during which time he established himself in the real estate business, Mr. Coray was returned to the legislature, and at once took a leading position in the house. In the senatorial contest of 1897 he opposed the candidacy of Mr. Penrose. During the session Mr. Coray consistently and earnestly defended the public treasury against all kinds of selfish schemes and unjust bills. He was a thorn in the side of the machine members whenever attempts were made to secure illegal extra pay, through incidentals, special expenses, etc. He continually called attention to the pledges of the Republican state platforms with regard to reform bills and endeavored to secure a more efficient ballot law. Mr. Coray was re-elected to the house, in 1898, and again in 1900. He opposed Mr. Quay's re-election to the senate, and during the last session was particularly vigilant and active in protecting the public interests in every possible way. All the iniquitous measures that came before the house he vigorously opposed. Upon many occasions he called attention to the falsification of the vote, and several times was threatened with personal violence for the stand he took in thus exposing machine trickery. It would require much space to record in detail Mr. Coray's work during the five terms that he has faithfully served the people at Harrisburg. No man in the state has been more courageous in the defense of the honor of the commonwealth, and what he has done makes his nomination as a candidate for state treasurer the legitimate culmination of an honorable and useful public career. A comparison of the votes of Coray and Harris, the Quay candidate for state treasurer, on leading measures, clearly shows who has the largest claim upon public confidence and support. The following statement speaks for itself:

	Coray Voted.	Harris Voted.
Pittsburg Ripper	Nay	Yea
Philadelphia Ripper	Nay	Yea
Philadelphia Fifth Court	Nay	Yea
Street railway franchise grabs	Nay	Yea
Steinman canal grab	Nay	Yea
Erie land grab	Nay	Yea
$4,000,000 Capitol bill	Nay	Yea
Increasing clerk hire allowance Supreme Court Judges, $1,000 to $2,500 each	Nay	Yea
Garner bill for mine inspectors	Yea	Dodged
Requiring operators to pay miners by ton, instead of by car	Yea	Dodged
Giving miners a check weighman at each colliery	Yea	Dodged
Requiring coal to be weighed to compute miners' pay before being screened	Yea	Dodged
Ferrebee bill taxing company stores out of existence	Yea	Dodged
Cooper Libel bill amendment to prevent muzzling the press	Yea	Nay
Coray amendment to General Appropriation bill to insure public schools immediate payment of $1,000,000 Governor Stone had vetoed	Yea	Dodged
Bills creating needless courts in Northumberland and Montgomery counties	Nay	Yea
Coray bill to revoke state warrants for land under streams, and thus block the $50,000,000 coal grab	Yea	Nay
The Guffey-Ikeler Ballot Reform bill	Yea	Nay

There seems to be no limit to the audacity of the Quay machine. Its disregard for the honor of the state exceeds anything ever before witnessed. The whole state government has been put to work in a frantic effort to prevent its own condemnation at the polls. Governor Stone has no sense of self-respect or official propriety; otherwise, he would not be going about making stump speeches that are in themselves extremely discreditable. The executive well knows that the odious record of the past three years cannot be successfully defended; hence his feeble attempts to mislead the public, to excite the prejudices of the ignorant, and to arouse partisan feelings. But the people surely have intelligence enough to see through all this and to understand what it means. The Quay ring would be frightened into spasms if they should wake up the morning after the election and find that the brave Coray had been commissioned to take charge of the state treasury, to open the books and turn on the light. Let no voter be deceived. There is no party issue at stake. It is simply a battle for honest administration of the public finances and the maintenance of purity on the bench. Let every patriot help to bring out a big vote for Yerkes and Coray.

It is understood that the managers of the Republican state campaign have given instructions to their followers in every county to look sharply after the vote at the coming election. The machine never makes much noise when a state treasurer is to be elected, but it makes sure that its hirelings are at work, all along the line. It takes no risks, and it is not taking any at this time. This fact should be sufficient notice to the people of the importance of the impending contest. Quay's battle for re-election was the hardest fight of his life and cost him and his friends a barrel of money. But he would spend as much more, if needed, to hold on to the public chest, for the special uses of his corrupt machine. There should be a great non-partisan vote this time to turn the rascals out.

Birth-marks which mark and mar the outside of the body are a grief to every mother whose children may bear them. But for every child who bears a birth-mark on the skin there are many who bear an indelible birth-mark on the mind. Nervous mothers have nervous children and many a man and woman owes an irritable and despondent temperament to those days of dread when the mother waited the hour of her maternity. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription strengthens the mother for her trial. With strength comes a buoyancy of spirits and quietness of mind, which is one of the happiest gifts a mother can bestow on her offspring. By giving vigor and elasticity to the delicate womanly organs "Favorite Prescription" practically does away with the pain of maternity and makes the baby's advent as natural and as simple as the blossoming of a flower. There is no opium, cocaine or other narcotic contained in "Favorite" Prescription."

One way of giving the professional beggar a chance to rise in the world is to give him a good blowing up.

ONE SHORT PUFF CLEARS THE HEAD.—Does your head ache? Have you pains over your eyes? Is the breath offensive? These are certain symptoms of catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a marvellously short time. If you've had catarrh a week it's a sure cure. If it's of fifty years' standing it's just as effective. 50 cents.
Sold by C. A. Kleim. 29

Does laughing cause dimples, or do dimples cause laughing?

Ten cents will buy trial size of Ely's Cream Balm; enough to convince you that it is the greatest of remedies for nasal catarrh or cold in the head. Full size 50c. All druggists. We mail it. ELY BROS., 56 Warren street, New York.

153 Second Street, Albany, N. Y.
Messrs. Ely Bros.:—I suffered greatly with catarrh and tried different remedies without effect. After using one bottle of your Cream Balm I found relief and I cannot praise too highly such a remedy.
Sep. 27, 1889 MISS CORA WILLARD.

Marrying a blockhead doesn't make a wooden wedding.

LIKE TEARING THE HEART STRINGS.—"It is not within the conception of man to measure my great sufferings from heart disease. For years I endured almost constant cutting and tearing pains about my heart, and many a time would have welcomed death. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has worked a veritable miracle."—Thos. Hicks, Perth, Ont.
Sold by C. A. Kleim. 30

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A Home in the South.

Escape the rigors of another Northern Winter and enjoy the delights of the Southland.

Nowhere can be found a more delightful climate than in our own Southland. Its winters are mild and balmy and in the most cases summer does not bring with it such extremes of heat as are to be found elsewhere. In fact, the South is a land where extremes of climate are avoided, and consequently, is a healthful and altogether desirable location.

The tide of emigration has turned Southward, for it is not alone in climatic advantages that this favored land excels, but its resources, the fertility of its soil and its mineral wealth and abundant water power commend it to the thoughtful consideration of any one who seeks a home where Northern thrift and enterprise may carve out success.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway, in order to stimulate investigation and to assist in opening up the fine territory traversed by its lines, announces that it will sell to prospectors and settlers, tickets one way or round trip, at greatly reduced rates, information as to which may be obtained of any agent or representative of the Company.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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A thousand times I praised him when
He wasn't near
To hear.
But no one hurried then
To tell him of the things I said.
One day I dropped behind his back,
A slighting word—
'Twas heard—
And ere that day had passed, alack!
He knew, and, passing, turned his head.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

POINT OF VIEW.

Mrs. Wederly (looking at hat)—Oh, what a dear little hat!

Wederly (looking at the price tag)—Well, I should say it is.—Chicago Daily News.

One Follows the Other.

The heir who's left a fortune fat,
It may be safely stated,
Grows dissolute because of that,
But soon the fortune—tit for tat—
Is also dissipated.
—Philadelphia Press.

A Perfect Boy.

"I never heard of but one perfect boy," said Johnnie, pensively, as he sat in the corner doing penance.

"And who was that?" asked mamma.

"Papa—when he was little," was the answer. And silence reigned for the space of five minutes.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought
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There's no reflection so dainty, no light so charming as the mellow glow that comes from
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THE KEYSTONE COPPER MINING CO.,

Incorporated Under the Laws of South Dakota, June 15, 1901.

Capital Stock, $1,000,000.

Divided into 200,000 Shares of Par Value of $5.00 Each.

FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE

We call special attention to the fact that one share of this Company, whose entire Capital Stock consists of only 200,000 shares of the par value of Five Dollars each, secures an interest in its property equal to 5 shares in a Company of One Million Shares of the par value of only One Dollar each, as is the case with nearly all Mining Companies offering shares at a price seemingly lower than the present price of the shares of this Company, but in reality much higher.

Property of Company.

This is very extensive, consisting of four mining properties, each over one mile in length, on a great copper vein over 100 feet in width, pronounced by Copper experts as among the widest and richest copper veins known, lacking only the necessary development to place same in the front rank of the greatest dividend and copper producing properties.

It is on the same great Copper Mineral Belt upon which are located the world's present greatest copper mines, each paying many millions of dollars annually in dividends and developed to the depth of from 1000 to 2000 feet, thus fully establishing the fact that the veins are not alone inexhaustible, but widen and become even more profitable with depth.

The great vein on this property is of such unusual width and so prolific in copper ore from surface that only moderate developments are needed to begin the production of ore on a scale to insure large dividends on the shares of this Company.

The Company is sinking a shaft now nearly 100 feet in depth on the vein of one of its four properties, the "Pay Roll." This shaft is entirely in ore, which, by tests, gave values at the surface of from 3 to 4 per cent. copper; at the depth of fifty feet tests gave values of from 8 to 10 per cent. copper; at the depth of seventy feet tests gave values of from 12 to 14 per cent in copper, while selected samples show values as high as 12 per cent. copper and nearly $15 in gold and silver per ton.

The value of the gold per ton will enable the Company to produce copper at very low cost.

As showing that this great vein is not alone of unusual width, but also of rare richness in ore as compared with some of the richest copper mines, we refer to the great "Anaconda Mine," paying over $5,000,000 annually in dividends from ore averaging less than five per cent in copper; or to the "Boston and Montana" paying over $6,000,000 annually from ore averaging less than six per cent. in copper; or to the "Great Verde," paying nearly $5,000,000 annually in dividends from ore averaging less than six per cent. in copper.

To give an approximate idea of the amount of ore and its value, that can be opened by a moderate development in only a small part of such a vein, the following estimates are given: **Estimating pay ore vein at only 25 feet in width**, depth of shaft, 500 feet, length of levels, 500 feet, would open up **6,250,000 cubic feet of ore, or over Five Hundred Thousand Tons.**

Estimating the net **Profits at Twenty Dollars per ton**, would give **total net profits of Ten Million Dollars, or Ten Times the Amount of the Par Value** of the entire Capital Stock of the Company, and sufficient to insure dividends to amount of Ten Dollars for each share of the stock. As the length of the vein on this one property, the "Pay Roll," is over one-quarter mile in length, and the depto to which same can be worked many thousands of feet, it will be seen that as a copper investment the shares of this Company offer an unusual opportunity.

The property of the Company is situated in Rio Arriba County, in the northern part of New Mexico (only 40 miles from the southern boundary line of Colorado), convenient to Railroad Station and in a section heavily timbered and one of the healthiest in the United States.

The Company has no debts or mortgages. Its property is free and clear and its management is under able mining experience.

One-quarter of the entire Capital Stock of the Company being 50,000 Shares of the par value of $250,000 has been placed in the Treasury of this Company as a working capital, of which a limited amount is offered for sale at

$1.00 PER SHARE

Until October 1st, when the price will be advanced to $1.50 per share.

As there are only 200,000 shares in this Company it will require net earnings of only $200,000 to pay dividends at rate of $1.00 yearly upon each share. This will require only a moderate development.

Those wishing to purchase shares can make remittance, by check or otherwise, to

The Keystone Copper Mining Co.,
Harter Building, 208 Main St.,
BLOOMSBURG, PEN'A

MANY SEE PRESIDENT

Roosevelt's Day at Farmington, Conn., an Eventful One.

A "PRIVATE AFFAIR" IS SPOILED.

People From Surrounding Towns Came to Greet the President and Grasp His Hand—Close Watch Kept by Secret Service Men.

FARMINGTON, Conn., Oct. 23.—President Roosevelt's day in Farmington provided quite a suitable addition to the historic annals of this pretty and ordinarily quiet old town.

The intention of the president's sister, Mrs. Cowles, to make the occasion a private affair was considerably overcome by the anxiety of the people to see the president and to grasp his hand. Throughout the morning there was no particular demonstration, but the middle of the afternoon the turnout of the townspeople, added to the influx of several hundred from Hartford and adjoining townships, enlarged the throng to proportions much beyond that to which Farmington is accustomed.

The absence of a publicly announced programme gave an element of uncertainty to the day. Everybody on the street was inquiring when and where they could see the president, but the mass of people went away satisfied, for the president made three quite characteristic dashes through portions of the town. In the last of these he rode out in an open carriage through the heart of the big crowds assembled on the principal street corners just at the conclusion of the ceremony of planting a McKinley memorial oak.

The president's day was filled with enjoyable rides, walks and receptions. It concluded in the evening at a dinner given at the home of Commander and Mrs. Cowles, the president's sister. Among the guests at the dinner were the president and his daughter, Miss Alice Roosevelt; Secretary Cortelyou, Assistant Secretary Barnes, United States Senators Joseph R. Hawley and Orville H. Platt and their wives and Governor George P. McLean.

Between his two rides the president and a few friends took a long tramp to Pinnacle mountain. President Roosevelt and daughter leading the jaunt.

An interesting incident of the morning drive was the greeting by 150 school children, attired in white, waving flags at the president as he rode by.

The afternoon was chiefly devoted to receptions—first to the young women of the Porter school and second to the guests invited by Mrs. Cowles to meet her brother. The two Connecticut senators and their ladies assisted in receiving.

The town was well policed by deputy sheriffs and constables, the customary warning having been sent out in advance by the chief of police at Washington.

The president left Farmington at 8:10 this morning for New Haven.

Pennsylvania's Heavyweight Dead.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Oct. 22.—J. Daniel Reinhard, probably the heaviest man in Pennsylvania, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Bath, near here, aged seventy years. Mr. Reinhard weighed 493 pounds last Saturday. He was a stonecutter and for half a century was director of the Northampton County Choir association and organist of the Bath Union church. He was the father of seventeen children, eleven of whom are living. Eight of his sons are marble cutters, and all of them are of remarkable physique, none weighing less than 300 pounds.

Senator Davis' Body Moved.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 22.—It was with a great deal of surprise that the friends of the late Senator Cushman K. Davis learned that his widow had caused his body to be removed from the vault at Oakland cemetery late Sunday afternoon and taken to the Union station, where it was placed on board a Burlington train to be taken to Washington for interment in the National cemetery. Mrs. Davis was piqued at the delay in providing a monument here for her husband.

Chicago Postoffice Robbed.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22.—Robbery of the Chicago postoffice by almost exactly the same method as was used in the recent gold robbery at San Francisco has just been discovered, and the loss to the government is estimated at $75,000. A secret tunnel was found under the temporary postoffice building at Michigan avenue and Washington street. Through it the robbers gained access to the vaults, and stamps aggregating about the amount mentioned were stolen.

Snow In Northern New York.

UTICA, N. Y., Oct. 19.—Northern Oneida and Herkimer counties are covered with about four inches of snow. In the southern Adirondacks the snow is four to six inches deep, and deer hunters are happy. Snow fell at Dannemora and Lyon Mountain to the depth of four inches. One and one-half inches of snow fell at Rome. Four inches of snow fell at Felts' Mills, near Watertown.

Rich Gold Strike In Colorado.

PUEBLO, Colo., Oct. 23.—A special to The Star-Journal brings news of excitement over a gold discovery at Buela, thirty miles west of this city. Five hundred claims have been located in the past twenty-four hours. A ledge of free milling gold returns nearly $2,000 a ton.

Rich Find In British Columbia.

ASHCROFT, B. C., Oct. 21.—Rich placer ground has been struck near the headwaters of Horse Fly in a section which no white men have ever explored. News was sent down by a thoroughly reliable man in Horse Fly.

SHOT BY TURKS.

Party of Five, Probably American Missionaries, Killed on Frontier.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Morning Leader publishes the following communication, dated Saturday, Oct. 19, from Sofia:

"On the frontier near Grossbelova yesterday five fugitives from Baniska, Macedonia, among them a brother of Mme. Tsilka, Miss Stone's companion, were shot dead by Turkish frontier guards while endeavoring to cross into Bulgarian territory.

"United States Consul General Dickinson, believing that they were members of the American Mission church, has demanded an official inquiry.

"Great brutality exists in the districts between Baniska and the frontier. Turkish officials have arrested over 100 residents of Bulgarian nationality and subjected them to torture in order to wring from them information as to Miss Stone's whereabouts. Several of them died under torture.

"The Bulgarian authorities, likewise worried over the affair, are continually arresting fugitives from Macedonia, and this causes bad blood."

Another Searching Party to Be Sent.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 23.—Should no news be received during the next forty-eight hours from the missionaries who are seeking the captors of Miss Ellen M. Stone and her companion, Mme. K. S. Tsilka, more missionaries will be sent to assist in locating the brigand band. It is understood that the missionaries have been waiting at places in the vicinity of where the brigands are supposed to be, expecting to receive a communication from them. It is proposed now that a search party shall be organized to penetrate to the brigands' retreat.

Rumors Regarding Miss Stone.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—"It is reported from Sofia," says the Vienna correspondent of The Daily Mail, "that United States Consul General Dickinson has received intelligence from shepherds that Miss Stone was seen at Jakobuda, on Turkish territory, about two hours' journey from the Bulgarian frontier."

MANY WITNESSES FOR SCHLEY.

The Brooklyn's Log Explained—A Newspaper Man's Testimony.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The Schley court of inquiry opened yesterday with Lieutenant B. W. Wells, Jr., who was Commodore Schley's flag lieutenant during the Spanish war, still on the stand, but he was soon displaced to allow Yeoman Albert V. Mason, who had written the Brooklyn's log for the period covering the Santiago campaign, to testify. Mr. Mason explained the erasures in the log entry referring to the Brooklyn's turn on the day of the battle off Santiago.

He was followed by Mr. George E. Graham, who, as an Associated Press correspondent, was with Commodore Schley during the entire campaign.

Mr. Graham's testimony covered all the principal events of the campaign and discussed especially the bombardment of the Spanish ship Colon on May 31 and the battle off Santiago on July 3. Mr. Graham testified to hearing a conversation between Commodore Schley and Captain Sigsbee when the latter came aboard the flagship Brooklyn off Santiago May 26. He said that he had distinctly heard Captain Sigsbee tell the commodore that the Spanish fleet was not inside the harbor at Santiago.

Mr. Graham also stated that Admiral Schley had told him that the object of the bombardment of May 31 was to develop the Spanish land batteries, and he said that the range was fixed at 7,000 or 7,500 yards in order to draw their fire.

The witnesses for the afternoon were Dennis J. Cronin, who was Admiral Schley's orderly, who also testified along the same lines as Mr. Graham and to the conversation with Captain Sigsbee; Lieutenant Commander William R. Rush, who said he thought the Viscaya had planned to ram the Brooklyn; Lieutenant Edward Simpson, who gave a very graphic picture of the battle of July 3, and Lieutenant Edward T. Fitzgerald, an assistant engineer, who was on duty in the fireroom on July 3 and who testified that an order had been given early in the action to stand by for a ram.

Buried Five Days.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—An almost miraculous rescue was effected yesterday at Grimma of a well digger who had been entombed since Saturday by the caving in of the soil. The rescuers had the greatest difficulty in digging through the sand, but the man was taken out alive.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western unsettled again, but fairly steady; Minnesota patents, $3.65@3.85; winter straights, $3.30@3.40; winter extras, $2.50@2.80; winter patents, $3.50@3.75.

WHEAT—Opened steady on unfavorable Argentina crop news stating that more rains were needed, eased off under disappointing cables and then rallied toward noon on covering; December, 78⅝@78⅝c.; May, 79@79¼c.

RYE—Steady; state, 57@58c., c. i. f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 60½c., f. o. b., afloat.

CORN—Easier at first through weak cables and fine weather west, but recovered later with wheat; December, 60 13-16@61⅛c.; May, 61⅞@62⅛c.

OATS—Barely steady, with a fair demand; track, white, state, 40@46c.; track, white, western, 40@46c.

PORK—Easy; mess, $15.50@16.75; family, $15@17.75.

LARD—Easy; prime western steam, 8.65c.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 14@21c.; creamery, 15½@22½c.

CHEESE—Quiet; fancy, large, colored, 9¾@9¾c.; fancy, large, white, 9½@9¾c.; fancy, small, colored, 10¼c.; fancy, small, white, 10@10¼c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania, 21½@22c.; western, candled, 21½c.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3⅝c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅞c.; refined steady; crushed, 5.60c.; powdered, 5.20c.

TURPENTINE—Steady at 38½@39c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 37@42c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4@6½c.; Japan, 4¾@5¼c.

TALLOW—Easy; city, 5¼c.; country, 5½@5⅝c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 60@65c.; good to choice, 85@90c.

Our First Carriages.

Albany, N. Y., claims the honor of having made the first carriage manufactured entire in this country. Several were built in the year 1814, and the event was duly noted at the time as an evidence of the spread of United States enterprises.

Japanese Art Productions.

Good specimens of old Japanese work form an investment which is more secure and more certain to be profitable than that in any other kind of art production, according to authorities in art valuation. Fashions in pictures, in old books in prints, in European ceramics change. Moreover all these things can be perfectly imitated continually. But it is absolutely certain that the fine specimens of Japanese work will increase enormously in value within a few years. Fewer and fewer of them will appear in the market, and, as has been said, they cannot be reproduced.

CASHING A CHECK.

Difficulties Experienced in a Strange City by a Well-Known New York Newspaper Man.

The difficulties of cashing a check in a strange city were experienced the other night in Boston by a well known New York newspaper man, who conducts one of the chief departments of one of the principal metropolitan journal, relates the New York Times. It happens that he has no friends in the Hub; that is, no acquaintances. In his search for some one to cash his check—and it was all he had except a few cents—he found several people who, when he told them who he was confessed to be daily readers of his writings, but either they were temporarily impecunious or doubtful that he was the man he pretended to be.

He had been on a vacation in a rural district, where the natives made no hesitation of giving him greenbacks for the newspaper checks, but when he struck the city he found things entirely different. The hotel clerk remembered him as a guest of June, and recognized the indorsement of the check and the signature on the register as the same; but he said that that would not serve as identification. No newspaper man knew him except by reputation, and, after plodding from one office to another, he was obliged to ask his office to telegraph on a description of his personal appearance. Then, and not until then, did he succeed in getting ahead of the incredulity of the hotel clerk and secure money enough to settle his bill and buy his ticket back to New York.

Risking Life

To make a living! And we stand and stare up at the man in the clouds, wondering that any man can be so foolhardy. But what of the business man, who has barely time to snatch a hasty meal, and gulps down a lunch of pie and milk in a few minutes? He too, is risking his life to make a living. Life is sustained by food properly digested and assimilated. The result of hasty eating and irregular meals is "weak" stomach, and a "weak" stomach means a weak man. When the stomach is "weak" the food eaten is not properly digested and cannot be perfectly assimilated, so that there is a daily loss of nutrition, which in time will result in physical collapse.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the assimilation of all the nutritive values of the food eaten, and so builds up the body into sound health and strength.

Mr. Ned Nelson, the celebrated Irish Comedian and Mimic, of 577 Royden Street, Camden, N. J., writes: "We fulfilled an engagement of twelve weeks and the constant traveling gave me a bad touch of that dreaded disease called dyspepsia. I had tried everything possible to cure it till last week, while playing at B. F. Keith's Bijou Theater, Philadelphia, in the Nelson Trio, a professional friend of mine advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I tried it, and, thank God, with good results."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent *free* on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

PUBLIC SALE,
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to the last will and testament of Jacob L. Girton, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, deceased, the undersigned executor will expose to public sale, on the premises, in the Town of Bloomsburg, on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1901,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the west side of Centre street, at the intersection of an alley with said Centre street, which alley separates the lot hereby described from lot of Ata Miller and others; thence along said alley south sixty-three and three-quarters degrees west, one hundred and eighty-two feet to an alley; thence south twenty-eight and one-eighth degrees east, forty-one feet and ten inches to lot of W. E. Hartman; thence along said lot north sixty-three and three-quarters degrees east, one hundred and eighty-two feet to Centre street; thence along said street north twenty-six and one-eighth degrees west, forty-two feet to the place of beginning, upon which are erected

2 FRAME DWELLING HOUSES
and a barn.

TERMS OF SALE:—Twenty per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property; twenty per cent. January 1, 1902, at which time possession will be given by an assignment of the leases thereon, and the balance January 1, 1903, with interest from January 1, 1902.

WM. CHRISMAN, Executor.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

I, DANIEL KNORR, High Sheriff of Columbia County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that a general election will be held in the said county of Columbia, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1901,

being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of said month for the purpose of electing the several persons hereafter named:

One person for State Treasurer.
One person for Judge of the Supreme Court.
One person for Associate Judge of Columbia County.
One person for County Surveyor.

The qualified voters of this county are hereby authorized and required to vote by tickets, printed, written, or partly printed and partly written, as follows:

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
Frank G. Harris.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
William P. Potter.
ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
E. B. Gale.
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
Edsha A. Coray, Jr.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Harman Yerkes.
ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
James T. Fox.
COUNTY SURVEYOR,
Boyd Trescott.
PROHIBITION CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
James J. Porter.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Isaac Manderan.
COUNTY SURVEYOR,
Samuel J. Pealer.
SOCIALIST LABOR CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
James A. McConnel.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Thomas Lawry.
PEOPLES CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
Justus Watkins.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Isaac Manderan.
UNION CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
Elisha A. Coray, Jr.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Harman Yerkes.
MUNICIPAL LEAGUE CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
Elisha A. Coray, Jr.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Harman Yerkes.
PUBLIC OPINION CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
Frank G. Harris.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
William P. Potter.
PUBLIC OWNERSHIP CANDIDATES.
STATE TREASURER,
J. Mahlon Barnes.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
Charles Heydrick.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT, NO. 1.

Shall the proposed amendment to Article VIII, section one and seven of the Constitution, requiring the registration of voters and providing that registration laws may be enacted to apply to cities only, be adopted?

PROPOSED AMENDMENT, NO. 2.

Shall the proposed amendment to Article VIII, section four of the Constitution, providing that all elections by the citizens shall be by ballot, or by such other method as may be prescribed by law, be adopted?

I also hereby make known and give notice that the places of holding the aforesaid election in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships within the county of Columbia are as follows, viz

Beaver township, at the public house of Miles Smith.
Benton Borough, at the public house of Oscar E. Sutton, in the Borough of Benton.
Benton township, at the grist mill of Edwards Bros.
Berwick, N. E., at the shop of George A. Buckingham, on east side of Pine street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Berwick, S. E., at the easterly side of the public building on Second St., between Market and Mulberry streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Berwick, N. W., at the band room of Harry Grozier, on the easterly side of the alley between Third and Jackson streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Berwick, S. W., at the westerly side of the public building on Second street between Market and Mulberry streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Bloom, 1st Precinct, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg.
Bloom, 2nd Precinct, at the store building northeast corner West and Fifth Sts., Bloomsburg.
Bloom, 3rd Precinct, at the Town Hall, in Bloomsburg.
Bloom, 4th Precinct, at the Rescue Hose House, East Fifth street, Bloomsburg.
Briarcreek township, at the Martz school house.
Catawissa Borough, in the building of W. H. Rhawn, at corner of Main and Railroad Sts., in the Borough of Catawissa.
Catawissa township, in the public house of J. W. Adams.
Centralia, 1st Ward, at the public house of John J. Kain, in Centralia.
Centralia, 2nd Ward, at the public house of Peter F. Omler, in Centralia.
Centre township, at the public school house, near Lafayette Creasy's.
Cleveland Twp., at Kreisher's store house.
Conyngham, E. North district, at the school house, near colliery of John Anderson & Co.
Conyngham, west north, at the public house of Daniel Roach, Montana.
Conyngham, southeast, at the public house of Bridget Burke.
Conyngham, Southwest, at the public house of William Waltersheid, in Locustdale.
Conyngham, West District, No. 1, at Midvalley school house.
Conyngham, west district, No. 2, at the public school house in said district.
E. Fishingcreek, at the house of John Wenner, at Bendertown.
W. Fishingcreek, at the Savage school house.
Franklin township, at the Lawrence school house.
Greenwood, East, at the house of C. E. Crawford, in Rohrsburg.
Greenwood, West, at the shop of Samuel Miller, in Greenwood.
Hemlock township, at the barber shop of G. W. Hartman, in the town of Buckhorn.
Jackson township, at the house of H. H. Hirleman, in Jacksonville.
Locust township, at the public house of Sam'l Dyer, in Numidia.
Madison township, at the public house of W. F. Crawford, in Jerseytown.
Main township, at the public house of John Rhoads, in Mainville.
Mifflin township, at the public house of Benj. Pennypacker, in Mifflinville.
Millville Borough, at the public house of Mrs. Heller, in Millville.
Montour township, at the public house of A. C. Hidlay, at Rupert.
Mt. Pleasant township, at the election house of Robert C. Howell.
Orangeville Boro., at the public house of Alfred Heckman, in Orangeville.
Orange township, at the Bowman grist mill, in said township.
N. Pine, at the house of William H. Lyons.
S. Pine, at the house of Elijah Shoemaker.
Roaringcreek township, at the house of Albert Leiby.
Scott, East, at Odd Fellows' Hall, in Espy.
Scott, West, at the P. O. S. of A. Building, in Lightstreet.
Stillwater, at the store house of A. B. McHenry, in said borough.
North Sugarloaf, at the public house of Jacob Steeh, in Central.
South Sugarloaf, at the old school house, at Cole's Creek.

Polls shall be opened at seven o'clock a. m., and shall continue open, without interruption or adjournment, until seven o'clock p. m., when the polls will be closed.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That every person, excepting Justices of the Peace and Aldermen, Notaries Public and persons in the militia service of the State, who shall hold, or shall within two months have held, any office or appointment of profit, or trust, under the United States, or of this state and city, or corporated district, whether a commissioned officer, or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is, or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State, or of any city, or of any incorporated district, and also, that every member of Congress, and of the State Legislature, and of the Select or Common Council of any city, or Commissioners of any Incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding, or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector, or Clerk, of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge, or other officer of such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for, except that of election officers.

The Inspectors and Judge of the election shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election, in the district to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning, and each of those Inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Oct. 22, 1901.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, County and State aforesaid on

SATURDAY, NOV. 16, 1901,

at 2 p. m.

All that certain message or tenement, plantation and tract of land, lying and being in the township of Franklin, county of Columbia, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: On the north by land of Charles Hughes, on the south by lands of Edward Englehart, on the east by lands of Charles Hughes, and on the west by public road, leading from Catawissa to Elysburg, containing

21 ACRES,

more or less, whereon are erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

barn and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Jane B. Robins, executrix of John K. Robins, deceased, vs. Jacob Knittle and to be sold as the property of Jacob Knittle.

DANIEL KNORR,
RHAWN AND GUIP, Att'ys. Sheriff.

SATISFACTION OF A MORTGAGE.

Whereas, Lewis Beishline, administrator of the estate of Michael Beishline, deceased, on October 7, 1901, presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pa., a petition, setting forth that on April 1st, 1848, one Wm. Lauderbach executed a certain mortgage to Ralph G. Carpenter for $643.61, against 141 acres of land, in Fishingcreek Twp., described as "All that certain 141 acres adjoining lands of Carpenter and Frick, Sam'l Yost, Andr. S. Creveling, et al., and that the legal presumption of payment of the same existed by lapse of time, and praying that the same should be satisfied according to law. Therefore, the holder or holders of said mortgage are hereby notified to appear at the December term of said Court and answer said petition.

DANIEL KNORR,
10-10-4t Sheriff.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DANIEL JAMESON, LATE OF CENTRE TWP., DECEASED.

The unddersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia Co., Pa., to make distribution of the funds now in the hands of I. J. Jameson, administrator of Daniel Jameson, deceased, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the law office of Grant Herring, in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on Friday, November 8, 1901, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

10-24-4t. S. B. KARNS, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF GEO. M. LOCKARD LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA., DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, Pa., to pass upon exceptions filed to the first and partial account of Esther J. Lockard, administratrix, will sit, at the office of Ikeler & Ikeler, in the Ent Building, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, October 30, 1901, at ten o'clock a. m., to attend to the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested in said estate must appear.

10-3-4t FRED IKELER, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF EZEKIEL COLE, LATE OF SUGARLOAF TWP., COL. CO., PA., DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia Co., Pa., to distribute the balance in the hands of H. H. Grotz, executor of the estate of Ezekiel Cole, as appears by his final account, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office, in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on Saturday, the 26th day of October, 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

9 26 4t C. W. MILLER, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF MARIA LOWERY, LATE OF ORANGE TWP., DECEASED.

The undersigned, having received a commission as auditor from the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, Pa., to distribute the fund in the hands of the executor of said estate, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office, in the Hartman Building, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Friday, October 25th, 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested in said estate are required to appear and prove their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

10 3 3t R. R. JOHN, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CLARK S. WALTER, LATE OF CATAWISSA BOROUGH, COLUMBIA CO., PA., DEC'D.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Clark S. Walter, late of Catawissa Borough, Columbia Co., Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

10-17 MATILDA WALTER,
John G. Harman, Att'y. Administratrix.

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Office—Bloomsburg Nat'l Bank Bldg., 2d floor
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
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Office, in Lockard's Building,
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Public Sale.—Wm. Chrisman, executor of the estate of J. L. Girton, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, will sell, at public sale, on the premises, on Friday, October 25, 1901, valuable real estate, consisting of two frame dwelling houses and a barn. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

For Sale: A good fixed focus camera, taking pictures 3¼ by 4¼ inches, good as new. Fitted with time and instantaneous shutter, two diaphragm stops, two tripod sockets two view finders, ground glass and door, and two double plate holders. A good all around camera for amateurs. Call and examine it at The Columbian office, or address.
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267 Market Street,
tf Bloomsburg, Pa.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office Nov. 5, 1901. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised Oct. 22, 1901":

Mr. L. S. Wanich, Miss Fannie Neihart, Mr. Ray Reber, C. S. Schman, Miss Whilda Shoemaker, Mr. James Sobers, Mr. Eab Sturtevant, Mr. Bob Smith, Mrs. W. H. Walker, Prof. Helen L. Webster.

Cards—Miss Hallie L. Brown.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

O. B. Mellick, P. M.

A Disappointed Parson.

The following story is given us by a resident of a town up the creek. A nice looking couple rang the doorbell of the resident preacher the other evening. The Parson looked out from upstairs and took in the situation, as he thought, and took a marriage license and other documents necessary in tying nuptial knots along downstairs so as to have things handy. After meeting and greeting the young and blushing couple he was just about to inquire of the gentleman if he had a license to enter the matrimonal relations when the man said to the parson that the lady wished to speak to the parson's wife about a job of work for herself in the parson's culinary department. This statement set the parson back five dollars and he called his wife to finish the ceremony. The young man seemed much pleased with both ladies and there is an engagement now of one kind and perhaps the other.

THE STATE AT A GLANCE.

—William Barton, of Wrightsville, while returning from escorting his sweetheart home on Sunday evening, was stabbed in the right side by his rival, Charles Pinkerton, who was in waiting for him.

—A chestnut feast is being held this week at Wild Cat, a resort about one mile from Wrightsville. Chestnuts are served in all styles, and bread is made of them. The feast began on Monday and will continue all week.

—The greater portion of the goods stolen from the D. L. & W. depot, at Hunlock's Creek, have been recovered from people living in Grand Tunnel and Avondale, who had purchased the goods, not knowing that they had been stolen.

—Ross Matheny, of Johnstown, caught his foot in a frog Monday morning, while clearing a wreck on the Southwest Railroad, and could not extricate it. A big derrick car ran over him, cutting him in two and killing him instantly.

—Unless the rapid spread of diphtheria is checked in the village of East Berlin the town will be isolated from the outside world. The schools have been closed and extraordinary efforts are being made by the citizens to stamp out the disease.

—Late Tuesday night the jury at Wilkes-Barre returned a verdict giving J. Andrew Boyd $2,799.36, all he asked and interest, in his case against John B. Smith. Smith seized his laundry and sold the machinery for the rent due from a man from whom Boyd bought the laundry.

—Robert Crawford, of Shamokin, 33 years old, was fatally wounded Tuesday by the premature discharge of a shot gun. The entire contents of the heavy charge tore off half of his face. A party of hunters ran to the scene and carried Crawford home to his wife and children.

—At the State Convention of County Commissioners, held in Bellefonte, after a most thorough examination of the Meyers voting machine, now in use in many of the cities of New York, resolutions were passed urging an amendment to the State Constitution which will permit the use of voting machines in Pennsylvania.

—Judge Schuyler has handed down an important opinion in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Geo. Walter, of Palmer township, who was charged with illegal fishing. The decision holds that the act of 1899, under which the prosecution was brought, is unconstitutional. Walter was arrested and fined $100 and costs for fishing in the Bushkill Creek, a trout stream, with a dip net.

—Harvey Newcomer, 19, and Miss Barbara Ilgenfritz, 20 years old, were instantly killed by being struck by a freight train, north-bound, on the Northern Central Railway, near Glen Rock, south of York, Saturday night. Miss Ilgenfritz wanted to visit a Glen Rock dressmaker, and Newcomer accompanied her. Upon returning they walked along the track and stepped out of the way of one train and got in the way of another.

To-morrow is Arbor Day.

Hot Rolls,

hot muffins, hot cakes, made with Royal Baking Powder may be freely eaten without fear of indigestion.

AFFAIRS OF THE TOWN.

Many Complaints in Regard to Streets and Gutters Made. Little other Business Transacted.

The regular monthly meeting of Council which was held Thursday night was a very elongated affair. Streets and gutters were about the only subjects considered, and many were the "kicks" registered.

On motion of Mr. Deiffenbach, acting on the request of the policeman, an incandescent light was ordered to be placed over the door of the lockup.

Mr. Deiffenbach called attention of the Council to the need of crossings at Eighth and Catharine and Seventh and Iron Streets. Moved and seconded that crossings be put down at both places.

Mr. Kashner reported in regard to drainage pipe on Seventh Street. In his opinion pipe is sufficiently large to carry off all the waste water from the Artificial Ice Plant, provided the Company make the necessary connections. The Company is to be notified by Solicitor Ikeler to make proper arrangements looking to this end.

Gutters on North side of Fifth Street, between Market and Center Streets reported in bad condition by Mr. Webb. If the property owners will put in curb, the gutter will be bricked.

In view of the numerous complaints made about the electric light in various parts of the town, it was moved and seconded that the nearest residents to each arc light, be appointed to keep a record of same and report to Council.

The curb at the alley leading to the Exchange Hotel Stables was complained of by Dr. G. H. Welliver. By reason of the great pitch, it has always been regarded as dangerous. It was moved and seconded that the same be lowered, and put in proper condition.

Moved and seconded that lime stone spalls be purchased, and used to fill in, where such work is required.

Moved and seconded that balance of appropriation due Friendship Fire Company be paid.

A number of bills were presented, and the Secretary was authorized to issue orders for same.

In the matter of compelling the residents of Seventh street to pave, Solicitor Ikeler stated that on account of the Town Engineer not having furnished the required grade that the notices to residents of said street have not yet been sent out.

The Solicitor further stated that the Magee Carpet Works propose putting a well on lot near the creek for mill purposes and for the manufacture of felting, and ask permission to run a 6 inch main from said well to their works. On motion duly seconded permission and right of way was granted with certain restrictions and bond to be approved, said bond to be at Mr. Magee's expense.

A petition was presented by E. F. Carpenter, asking for a six foot petrified brick crossing over Main Street in front of the First National Bank. Granted.

Town Treasurer E. F. Carpenter was directed to pay the outstanding Town orders which are drawing interest.

Mr. Mumma, for the Electric railway company, asked for an extension of right of way from Barton Street to the Town limits. Moved and seconded that the ordinance be amended and that said right be granted.

Mr. Meigs of the Bloomsburg Car Co., asked that the Town defray the expenses of putting in the bottom and the outside curb of the sluice-box in front of the Bloomsburg Car Co's. property on East Street which has just been completed recently, inasmuch as the Company has laid a permanent pavement and will keep planking on top of sluice in good condition in the future. The length of curb line being 197 feet and costing 75 cents per foot, the total amount being $147.75. On motion duly seconded the amount was ordered to be paid by the Town.

On motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the D. L. & W. R. R. Co. to lay pipe under East street crossing sufficiently large to carry off surface water.

Street Commissioner Neyhard reported that Kinney Run is badly blocked up at various points. On motion duly seconded the Street Committee was directed to make an examination and report at next regular meeting.

No other business the meeting adjourned.

New Industry for Berwick.

There is a rumor in business circles that Berwick is to have a new and extensive industry in the shape of a silk mill. The projector of the proposed venture is Fred Q. Hartman, proprietor of the Danville Silk Mill. The plant is to be located on Front street, near the Luzerne county line, and will be extensive in proportions. A plot of ground, sufficient to accommodate the requisite buildings, has been purchased, and work on the foundation has already been commenced. The mill will furnish employment for several hundred hands. Berwick's future is very promising.

MONEY BACK SALE.

This means that goods bought of us must be as good as can be bought anywhere at the same price. We cannot expect any person to pay more for goods here than they can buy them for in the larger towns.

Blankets.

Time of year is here and also the cool evenings. The blankets are here, too, in larger variety than usual and at less prices.

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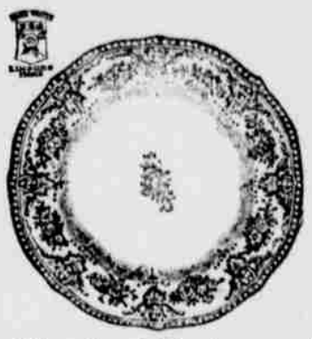

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